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ONE SHOW AN HOUR

SOMETHING DOING ALL THE TIME AT THE STREET FAIR.

SIGNS POINT TO SUCCESS

The Many Attractions Offered Are Almost Without Parallel—Work Starts Next Week.

The list of free attractions and the shows that will be here during the Maryville free street fair, October 9 to 14, will be given out by the committee the first of next week. Several more are to be secured, and with those the committee have already contracted for, the fair's free attractions promise to eclipse anything ever had in Maryville.

The committee has decided on giving a free attraction every hour during the afternoons and evenings during fair week. Some of the free attractions are the Rosards, comedy acrobats and gymnasts; the McCoys, the funny house, and several others. Along the show line, Meade's Albany minstrels, DeKalb wild west show, Howell's glass blowers, an electric theater or moving picture show, the biggest Chinese turtle in the world, which is said to be 1,000 years old, and a plantation show are just a few of the shows that have been secured.

Two bands will probably furnish the music. The Maryville band has been secured, and the committee will probably get the Albany band.

With all of these shows and the several special features to be pulled off, such as the automobile flower parade, the horse and mule show, the public wedding on the court house steps, to be performed by Rev. W. J. Parvin, pastor of the M. E. church, South; fraternal parade, and the children's day parade, it looks like we will have a fair here that can't be beat.

The decorations that were used at St. Joseph will be used in Maryville on the streets, and with these decorations and the electric lights that will be hung on the streets for eight blocks, the streets will present a beautiful appearance. Work will commence next week on putting up the decorations and lights, and booths will also be erected.

That Maryville is to have a street fair no one can doubt by knowing of these events that are to take place during the week.

SAW WATER KNEE DEEP IN CORNFIELDS

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin and little son, Ralph, returned Saturday morning from a week's absence on business and pleasure in St. Louis and at Mason City, Ill. They visited Mr. Hotchkin's uncle, Allen Bradley, and family, at Mason City, Ill., which is one hundred miles or more northeast of St. Louis. All that region of country in which they traveled was being deluged with rain and they saw hundreds of acres of corn standing knee deep in water, a condition that now exists in many sections of Illinois.

"MINUTE MEN" AT BELL GROVE SCHOOL

The following pupils of the Bell Grove school, four and one-half miles southwest of Maryville, were neither absent or tardy during the month of September: Karl Parker, Lacey Auten, Wray Parker, Mary Auten. The teacher of Bell Grove school is Miss Ruby Ruddell.

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The Fitting of Glasses a Specialty.

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At the Churches

Services at St. Paul's Church.

Services will be held on Sunday, both morning and evening, at St. Paul's Episcopal church, conducted by Rev. Arch Deacon E. C. Johnson of Kansas City. All of the members and public are cordially invited.

First Presbyterian Church.

There will be no preaching services at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Other services as usual. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

First M. E. Church.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Miss Besse Scott will sing a solo at the Sunday school. Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock. No church services, as Rev. Ford is away attending conference.

M. E. Church, South.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Morning services at 10:45, with sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Parvin. Miss Vernie Felter will sing at the morning services. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30, and Dr. C. H. Briggs, presiding elder, will occupy the pulpit. Miss Velma Gray will sing. Communion services will also be held.

First Baptist Church.

The State Normal quartet will sing two numbers at the morning service at the First Baptist church Sunday. The subject of the sermon by the pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel, will be "The Bible Observance of the Lord's Supper." Regular communion service will follow. The subject of the evening sermon at 7:30 o'clock will be "Sacrifice, the Source of All Freedom." Other services as usual. Sunday school at 9:45. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.

First Christian Church.

Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Claude J. Miller. Subject, "America for Christ." Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m. Miss Theodosia Kreutz will be the leader. Evening service at 7:30. Subject of sermon by the pastor, "Temptation."

The morning service will be given to our fall budget offering, which was postponed from last Lord's day.

In the absence of Dr. D. J. Thomas, Mr. Ralph Eversole will be organist at both the morning and evening services.

Musical program for the day's services. Morning:

Prelude—Largo (from Xerxes) ..... Handel
Communion—"Prayer to Our Lady" ..... Boellman
Offertory—"Evening Star" (from "Tannhauser") ..... Wagner
"Sanctus" ..... Hall
Choir.
Solo, Mrs. Robinson.
Postlude—Triumphal March (from "Naanan") ..... Costa

Evening:

Prelude.
Offertory.
Solo—"I Will Lay Me Down in Peace" ..... Dudley Buck
Mrs. Robinson.
Anthem—"Son of My Soul" ... McPhail
Choir.
Postlude.

ADDRESSED BUSINESS COLLEGE STUDENTS

Rev. Claud John Miller addressed the Business college students Friday morning, giving them an exceptionally good talk along the lines of business education. Rev. Miller is a graduate of the business college, having received his diploma some eight or ten years ago, and is familiar with the scope and purpose of business college work. He was sure that if he could not get both a business and a college education, that he would prefer the business education. He said that the world wanted people who knew how to do things and could do them when called upon to do so, illustrating his point by an incident that happened in a great sugar plant. The gigantic engine broke down and the expert who fixed it used just four minutes' time, for which he charged twenty-five cents; but he charged just one hundred dollars more for knowing how.

The faculty and the students were greatly pleased with Rev. Miller's address and he was enthusiastically applauded.

Left for Chicago.

Prof. Shepard Leffler, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Leffler, of this city, left Friday noon for Chicago, where he will take postgraduate work the coming year.

Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.

WHERE THEY LIVE

ADDRESSES OF MARYVILLE STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY.

THE BIG FOOTBALL GAME

Preparations Begin For Missouri-Kansas Game, Which Will Be Played at Columbia.

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 29.—Preparations for the Missouri-Kansas game are beginning, and some 1,000 applications have already been made for the reservation of seats, but by action of the athletic committee will not be accepted. This committee has ruled that no reservations will be made until the last week in October. Pamphlets concerning the game will be mailed at that time to all who have written for seats, and to all others whom it is thought are interested. After these pamphlets are sent out the reservations will be made as the orders are received, but no orders will be considered which were sent previous to that time. The price of admission to the field with a seat in the bleachers is $2. The new concrete bleachers will be reserved for the Missouri people, the Kansas people being seated in the old wooden bleachers. No one person will be allowed to buy more than six tickets. All mail orders should be sent to Mr. C. L. Brewer, director of athletics, Columbia.

Missouri's schedule for this season is:

September 30, William Jewell, at Columbia.
October 7, Rolla, at Columbia.
October 14, varsity freshmen, at Columbia.
October 21, Ames, at Ames.
October 28, Nebraska, at Lincoln
November 4, Oklahoma, at Columbia.
November 11, Washington, at St. Louis.
November 18, St. Louis university, at St. Louis.
November 25, Kansas, at Columbia.

The friends of the Maryville young men and women at Missouri university this year will be interested in the following directory:

Marie Brink, 1166 Paquin street; Herschel Colbert, 907 Lowry street; Helen Dunn, 303 Waugh street; Ora Eckles, Myrtle Eckles, 205 College avenue; Ivy Hawkins, 701 Hitt street; Winifred Hawkins, 109 Hitt street; Harold Heaton, 909 Lowry street; Albert Hogan, Paul Hogan, 906 Lowry street; Charles Kane, 1108 Walnut street; Adelbert MacMillen, 907 Lowry street; Earl Trullinger, Dana House, Fred Wolfers, Dana House, Robert Wells, Walter Wray, 906 Lowry street.

HOSMER'S SALES FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

The following is a list of sales to be conducted by R. P. Hosmer, "The Auctioneer." See dates and stock to be sold in lists shown below. When do you want to make your sale? Phone for dates at my expense. Office Phares lumber yard, Maryville, Mo. All phones:

Tuesday, October 3.

H. T. Coulter, two and a half miles east of Arkoe—17 horses and mares, 14 head of cattle, 120 head of hogs, implements, etc.

Wednesday, October 4.

J. R. Smith, one-quarter mile north of Barnard—7 head of horses and mules, 36 head of Holstein Friesian cattle, 120 head of hogs, a few good implements.

Thursday, October 5.

Hutchison H. Lyle, ten miles southwest of Maryville—9 head of horses and mules, 52 head cattle, 95 head of hogs, implements and household goods.

Saturday, October 7.

Hosmer's monthly stock sale, Gray's pavilion, Maryville—What do you want to sell in this sale?

Monday, October 9.

George Bickett, three miles northeast of Maryville—General closing out sale.

Thursday, October 12.

N. Kill, five miles southeast of Graham—horses, cattle, hogs, implements.

Saturday, October 14.

F. P. Robinson's annual Poland-China hog sale—The best lots you ever saw. H. S. Duncan and Hosmer, auctioneers.

Brought Mother Home.

Mrs. C. C. Corwin returned Friday noon from Edmond, Okla., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. E. A. Janes of that city, who will be her guest the coming winter.

TO BE ON HIGHWAY

MARYVILLE STANDS GOOD SHOW ON PROJECTED MOTORWAY.

ACROSS THE CONTINENT

Route is to Go From St. Joseph to Omaha, and Saints Highway Could Be Used.

There is talk now of an ocean to ocean highway, and from what has appeared in the papers it seems that the highway will go through Kansas City, then up to St. Joseph, then Omaha. In selecting a highway from St. Joseph to Omaha on this ocean to ocean road, the Maryville Commercial club will make an effort to have the Saints Highway from St. Joseph to Maryville as the official route, and in case Omaha is left out the club will ask that the Saints Highway from St. Joseph to Maryville, then to Des Moines, be selected. That Maryville stands a good chance of being on the transcontinent highway is the opinion of several.

The article about the highway follows:

The Los Angeles-Kansas City-New York highway project and the western good roads movement generally will receive a good deal of encouragement and some very practical support from the Trans-Mississippi congress, which meets in Kansas City Nov. 14 to 17, according to good roads advocates who are members of the organization. Highway improvement will be considered from a strictly commercial standpoint, it being the aim of the congress to emphasize the commercial aspect of all questions with which it deals.

Two of the principal good roads advocates are Benjamin A. Fowler of Phoenix, Ariz., president of the National Irrigation congress, and J. B. Case, former president of the Trans-Mississippi congress.

"We are especially interested in the proposed ocean to ocean highway from Los Angeles to New York," said Mr. Fowler. "Several parties of tourists, starting from New York are to go over the route presently, and I have no doubt that the project will be carried out in good time. In a general way the route is from Los Angeles to San Diego, Cal., thence to Yuma, Phoenix and Globe, Ariz., through the northern part of New Mexico by way of Albuquerque to Trinidad, Col., connecting there with the Denver road and the Santa Fe trail leading through Kansas to Kansas City, up the Missouri river by way of St. Joseph to Omaha, across Iowa to Keokuk, thence to Decatur, Ill., thence to Chicago, Cleveland, Buffalo and New York City. That, of course, is only the plan in a general way. It makes little difference as to details, so long as we get a first class continental highway."

Auto Party from Kansas City.

Mrs. F. V. Sparr, Mrs. E. J. Hackler, Mrs. W. H. Hackler and Thomas E. Link of Kansas City, composed an automobile party that passed through Maryville Friday noon on their way to Des Moines, Iowa.

RAVENWOOD BAND TOOK THIRD PRIZE

The Ravenwood band took third prize at the out-of-town band contests held in St. Joseph Friday.

Overalls, jumpers and spreading straw hats were the uniforms of the Ravenwood Commercial College band, led by R. S. Bartlett. The roster follows:

Cornets—Henry McMillan, Frank Tebow, Loraine Seimen.

Baritone—William Hanner.

Trombones—Kenney Tebow, Vergil Moore, R. F. Craig, Joseph Windmiller.

Clarinets—Robert Francis, E. Bashor.

Tuba—Earl Nolt.

Drums—Ezra McMillan, Carl Flynn.

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W. B. FINN.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Entertained Royal Neighbors.

Mrs. R. E. Thomas entertained the Royal Neighbors of Pansy camp at progressive dominoes from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Misses Mary and Verna Thomas, and Miss Mina Armstrong. Purple and white asters were used for decoration, and a three-course luncheon in purple and white was served. The game prize was won by Mrs. Lon Shanks, the consolation prize went to Mrs. Henry Wright, and the guest prize to Mrs. George Lucas. The members of the Royal Neighbors who were present were Mrs. Henry Thorp, Mrs. George Wallace, Mrs. Michael Lahr, Mrs. William Gross, Mrs. Del Thompson, Mrs. W. P. Howland, Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt, Mrs. W. R. Tilson, Mrs. John Bookman, Mrs. John Hansen, Mrs. Ed Dragoo, Mrs. John Wallace, Mrs. Will Edwards, Mrs. J. W. Cast, Mrs. Charles Jones, Mrs. Lon Shanks, Mrs. E. E. Tilton. Other guests were Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. George Lucas and Mrs. Henry Wright and her mother, Mrs. Flora Jamison of Grant City, who is visiting her.

Will Be Married Next Week.

Maryville friends have received invitations to the marriage of Miss Una E. Hagood and Mr. Albert E. Russell, on Wednesday, October 4, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hagood of Arcadia, Neb. The bride-to-be is a graduate of the Maryville Conservatory of Music, in the class of 1908.

His Fifth Birthday.

Donald Herndon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herndon, was 5 years old Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Herndon, assisted by their daughter, Miss Fay, had five little guests at 6 o'clock dinner in honor of the day. Their guests were their son, Donald Herndon, and Harold Miller, Ruth Miller, Roberta Cook and Ora May Condon.

Entertained "The Bridgets."

Miss Glen Hotchkiss, assisted by Miss Eleanor Smith, was hostess to "The Bridgets" Saturday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Anna Hotchkiss, at 401 South Buchanan street.

Had Dinner Guests.

Miss Carrie Margaret Baker entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Friday evening, Miss Eleanor Smith, Miss Ruth Reuillard and Miss Mildred Robinson.

Guests at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Epperson and family on Thursday.

MRS. T. B. GILL DIED SEPTEMBER 22

Mrs. T. B. Gill, who was a former resident near Maryville, died on Friday, September 22, at her home, in Sheridan, Wyo., after a long illness of a complication of diseases. Mrs. Gill is survived by her husband and three children, who are Mrs. L. D. Taylor of Sheridan and Arthur and Armonde Gill, at home. The news of her death will be learned with keen regret by old friends here.

Mr. Gill and his family moved to Wyoming about ten years ago, where he engaged extensively in sheep raising. He was a well known farmer, living southwest of Maryville, previous to his removal to Wyoming.

Mrs. Gill's sister, Mrs. J. E. O'Neal of Maryville, went to Sheridan the first of August, in company with her husband and daughter, Miss Edna, on account of her sister's illness, and was there when she died. Miss Birde Shelton of this city went with the O'Neals to Wyoming and remained a month, camping in the mountains with the Gill, Taylor and O'Neal families, and Mrs. Gill was able to enjoy the outing.

The O'Neal family will visit their daughter, Mrs. Orlando Baird, at Boise, Idaho, before returning home.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Miss Blanche Welch went to Kansas City Friday morning to visit her brother, Edwin Welch and family.

A pie social was held at the Maple Grove school house, near Barnard, Friday night and $19.34 was taken in, to be used for putting in a library. A. S. Blagg is the teacher of the school.

Eastman kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

FOR STEALING TEAM

C. W. WILSON ARRESTED IN MARYVILLE SATURDAY MORNING.

SAID HE WAS BILBY'S SON

Left Savannah Team at Barnard, Where He Procured the One He Was Arrested For Stealing.

A livery team and buggy was hired Friday morning of Kellogg & Goforth of Barnard by a man who said that his name was C. W. Wilson, and claiming to be buying mules for a St. Joseph man. He was seen going through Maryville Friday afternoon, and the last track that was had of him was about five or six miles northwest of the city. Word was sent to all of the nearby towns by Sheriff Tilson over the telephone.

Wilson hired a team at Savannah Thursday for an hour or two and left the team at the Kellogg & Goforth livery stable at Barnard Thursday night. On Friday morning he told the livery stable man that he had driven his team from St. Joseph and thought it should rest, and wanted a livery team of them, as he wanted to buy some mules up near Arkoe and would be back in an hour or two. Savannah parties called up Barnard and found that their team was at Barnard, and by this time, Kellogg & Goforth became suspicious that the team was stolen, and search at once began for the missing team.

Wilson was arrested Saturday morning by Sheriff Tilson at Gray's sale pavilion. He had just come to town with Albert Carr, having spent Friday night at the Carr home. He represented to Mr. Carr that he was a son of Ed Bilby, and was around the country buying stock. He left the Kellogg & Goforth team at the Carr farm.

CATTERSON WINS SEVERAL MORE PRIZES

At the international live stock show at St. Joseph Friday, Omar Catterson of this city again won several prizes, as follows: In the Aberdeen Angus aged senior bull calves Catterson took fifth on Queen's Quality Lad 3d. In the junior bull calves exhibit, Catterson took first on Queen Ito Lad. On aged cows, Catterson took third on Glen Erie Queen of All. On 2-year-olds, Catterson took second on Miss Quality.

REED DOESN'T KNOW WHETHER HE CAN COME

A letter was received by County Superintendent Oakerson from Senator Reed of Kansas City that he does not know at this time whether he will be able to speak in Maryville during the corn growing and domestic science contests to be held November 2, 3 and 4. He says he will know within the next week or so.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Friday to John E. Gray and Miss Lorena B. McDonald, both of Clearmont.

The Weather

Unsettled weather with showers tonight or Sunday; warmer tonight.

Not ANY Glasses

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Went to St. Joseph.

The following parties left Saturday morning to spend the day at St. Joseph: William Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Mrs. J. A. Riggle, Mrs. R. F. Hamblen, Miss May Mahoney, Mrs. O. W. Swinford, Miss May Harvey, Miss Mabel Mason, Miss Gertrude Mason, Miss Edith Wilson, Miss Floy Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and daughter, Mildred; Miss Mamie Kane, Miss Nellie Douglass, Mrs. W. C. Ellison, Miss Susie Ellison, George D. Davis, Harold Stafford.

Attended Balie Waggener Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Robinson and daughter, Lucile of Ottumwa, Ia., visited over Thursday night with their cousin, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, and family, living north of the city. The visitors have been visiting at Atchison, Kan., and attended the Balie Waggener picnic, where 15,000 children were guests on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, who were in St. Joseph Thursday, returned to Maryville Thursday night with their guests.

Virtuola Player.

Judge Collison of Maitland purchased of D. N. Scott this week one of those celebrated Virtuola player-pianos, made by the Hallet & Davis Piano company of Boston. This player is in a sphere of its own, possessing many new and wonderful features, which makes it possible for any and all to play the most beautiful and difficult selections with perfect ease and expression. Virtuola is the name.

Returned From St. Joseph.

Mrs. J. R. Brink and daughter, Mrs. R. P. Hosmer, returned Friday noon from St. Joseph, where they went Wednesday in Mr. Hosmer's car to attend the stock show. On account of the recent rains they returned on the train. Mr. Brink, who accompanied the party to St. Joseph, returned Thursday evening.

On Visit to Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gay, living nine miles northeast of the city, left Saturday noon for Kahoka, Mo., to visit their daughter, Mrs. E. Houchens, who is the wife of the pastor of the Methodist Protestant church at that place. They will also visit Mr. G ay's mother, Mrs. Nancy Gay, and other relatives, near Quincy, Ill., before their return.

Took Guest Home.

Miss Barbara Hunt, a State Normal student, went to her home in St. Joseph Friday evening to visit over Sunday. She was accompanied by Miss Mabel Hunt, clerk of the probate court, who will be her guest over Sunday. Miss Mabel Hunt will visit Grant City friends before returning home.

Mr. Beech Recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., and little daughter, Elizabeth, went to Barnard Friday morning to spend a few days with Mrs. Beech's father, Charles H. Heaton. Mr. Beech is just recovering from a threatened case of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Frencham of Ridgeway were in Maryville Thursday on business.

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(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers).

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OAKERSON ON SPELLING BEE COMMITTEE

W. P. Evans, state superintendent of public schools, named a committee of one yesterday from each of the sixteen congressional districts to make arrangements for a state spelling contest. A time and place for holding the contest will be named. This committee will meet with the State Teachers' association at Hannibal, November 11 to 14, to prepare a program. It will announce the rules governing the contest. The county winner will be sent to the congressional district contest. The contestants for the state honor will be selected from those winners.

The committee named yesterday is made up of educators.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson was named as the one from the Fourth congressional district.

LITERARY SOCIETIES FORMED AT HIGH SCHOOL

The last period at the high school Friday was given up to the formation of various literary societies. Five societies were organized, according to the classes, the senior class being divided on account of its size. These societies will meet under the direction of the various teachers, every three weeks. The work which will be given will be considered as school work, and grades will be given as in any other branch. The object is to teach the students the rudiments of parliamentary usage, and to make them feel at ease before an audience. These organizations should be very beneficial to the student body.

CHRISTY A DELEGATE TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

Presiding Elder W. B. Christy was selected as one of the three ministerial delegates from the Missouri conference of the Methodist Episcopal church to the general conference, which meets at Minneapolis, Minn., next year at the Missouri conference, which is in session at Brookfield, Mo., this week. This is quite an honor, as the general conference of the church meets only once in four years and is the largest meeting of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—700. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 26,000.

Hogs—9,000. Market steady; top, $6.80. Estimate tomorrow, 28,000.

Sheep—3,000. Market weak.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—600. Market steady.

Hogs—2,000. Market steady; top, $6.45.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—600.

Hogs—2,200. Market steady; top, $6.45.

Sheep—300. Market weak.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 29.—Cattle receipts, 2,800. Market unchanged. Quality poor. Prospects fully steady for choice cattle next week. With moderate receipts, grassy and medium cattle have steady outlook.

Hog receipts, 8,500. Strong to 5c higher; top, $6.70; bulk, $6.35@6.65. Top hogs sold by the National. Can offer no encouragement for material improvement.

Sheep receipts, 1,000. Lambs 15@25c lower; top, $5.75. Sheep 10@15c lower; top, $3.65.

Threatened With Typhoid Fever.

Earl C. Borchers of Rosendale, a State Normal student, was taken to his home, four miles west of Rosendale, Saturday morning, threatened with typhoid fever. His father, James Borchers, came to Maryville Friday to accompany his son home. The patient was taken to the Burlington train Saturday morning in an ambulance. He has been making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cook, on West First street.

Returned to Topeka.

Mrs. A. Samuels of Topeka, Kan., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum, since Wednesday, left for her home Saturday morning. Her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Nusbaum, also of Topeka, will remain for a longer visit. Mrs. Samuels was an honor guest at the Barmann-Nusbaum party at the Elks club Thursday afternoon.

Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.

Personal Mention

D. W. Snoderly spent Saturday in Barnard on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Germing went to Conception Saturday.

Miss Esther Ferguson of Elmo was in the city shopping Saturday.

Misses Jennie and Rena Pearce of Barnard were shopping in Maryville Friday.

Mrs. Charles Butler of Hopkins came to Maryville Friday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Strawn.

Misses Virdah Daniels, Bessie Thompson and Donna Robinson of Barnard were in Maryville Friday.

Miss Beulah McCoppen, a Business college student, went to her home in Barnard Friday to visit over Sunday.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., went to St. Joseph Friday evening to visit over Sunday with the family of Judge Charles F. Strop.

Miss Helen Trullinger returned Friday noon from a three weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Clinton and Belton, Mo.

Miss Edith Fichtel of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Weisenberger, returned to her home Saturday morning.

Miss Carrol Knoles of Bedford, Ia., was in the city Saturday on her way to New Hampton, Mo., to visit the family of F. M. Goff.

Miss Cora Sell and Miss Gladys Goforth, State Normal students, went to their home near Barnard Saturday morning to visit over Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Tracey and son, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Crow, returned to their home in St. Joseph Friday evening.

Miss Mabel Stewart, a teacher in the Hopkins school, was in the city Saturday on her way to Bedison to spend Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Arthur Miller returned to her home in Kansas City Friday, after a few weeks' visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, and family.

Miss Belle Scheifelman and Miss Nell Cameron of Stanberry were in Maryville Saturday morning between trains on their way to St. Joseph.

John Quinn left Friday for Afton, Okla., where he will be employed by David W. Hull and sons, former Nodaway county farmers near Maryville.

Miss Bertha Hale and Miss Carrie Coler, State Normal students, went to their home near Barnard Friday evening to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Fred Welch and little daughter of Omaha arrived in the city Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, with whom she made her home before her marriage.

Mrs. Fred Hull and little daughter, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie Porter of South Main street left for their home in Hiawatha, Kan., Saturday morning.

T. F. Merrigan, Jr., of Clyde, a student at St. Patrick's convent school, went to his home in Clyde Saturday to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Merrigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and little daughter and Mrs. Moore's sister, Miss Lapensa Amrine, living northwest of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Friday evening to spend the week end.

Mrs. Irvin Bartram and son, Irvin John, Jr., accompanied Mr. Bertram to Hopkins Saturday noon and spent the afternoon as the guest of Mrs. Ed Brown.

Mrs. J. F. Brown and little daughter returned to their home in Kansas City Friday evening, after a several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hastings.

Mrs. R. B. Oliphant and daughter, Miss Leila Oliphant, of near Pickering were shopping in the city Saturday. Miss Oliphant teaches the Long Branch school.

Miss Anna Brady, a student of St. Patrick's convent school, went to her home near Clyde, Saturday to visit until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brady.

Miss Clara Davenport of the Parnell school faculty and Miss Edith Davenport, who teaches near Pickering, came to the city Saturday to visit over Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Clara Davenport.

Mrs. H. D. Snyder and little daughter, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wright and other relatives in the city the past week, returned to their home Saturday morning.

Mrs. E. T. McDowell and sons, Walker and John, of Okmulgee, Okla., who have been spending several weeks at Loveland, Col., arrived in Maryville Friday and are visiting at the home of Dr. McDowell's mother, Mrs. John W. McDowell of West Twelfth street. Their little daughter, Mary Margaret McDowell, who came several weeks ago in company with her father, is quite ill at present with threatened fever.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

GRAY HAIR MAKES YOU LOOK OLD

Use Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and Your Gray Hair Will Quickly Vanish.

Gray hair is a mark of age, and nothing that can be said as to its beauty will offset the disadvantages of this mark of age set upon your brow.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy darkens the hair and restores it to its youthful beauty. Our grandmothers and their grandmothers before them used sage and sulphur for darkening their hair. Nothing has ever been found more effective for this purpose than these two time-honored remedies, but Wyeth, a modern chemist, has combined the two with other ingredients, which makes a delightful dressing for the hair, and which not only removes every trace of dandruff but promotes the growth of the hair. It also stops the hair from falling out, and makes it beautiful.

All druggists are authorized to refund the money if it fails to do exactly as represented.

Don't neglect your hair and don't resort to old-time hair dyes. Get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' use.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.

Here From Alaska.

Earl Townsend, who has been spending several months at Valdez, Alaska, joined Mrs. Townsend and his daughter, Miss Mildred, in Maryville this week. They have been spending the summer here. After a further stay, visiting Mr. Townsend's sister, Mrs. Edna Parcher, and son, Phillip Parcher, they expect to leave for Corpus Christi, Texas., to spend the winter.

Installed Fine Piano.

The M. E. church at Hopkins buys a Hallet & Davis piano this week of our well known music dealer, D. N. Scott, who is factory distributor for these celebrated pianos, established in 1839, a Boston product, and is handled by the most reliable dealers throughout the land.

Will Teach in Iowa.

Miss Nona Robinson of Kansas City, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Brien, of this city, left for Athelston, Ia., Saturday, where she will teach in the schools.

No Need to Stop Work.

When your doctor orders you to stop work it staggers you. "I can't," you say. You know you are weak, run down and failing in health, day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give tone, strength and vigor to your system, to prevent breakdown and build you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our darling little daughter.

MR. and MRS. H. N. CULBERTSON.

Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.

CUT FLOWERS

Of all kinds on hand and can be quickly furnished for any purpose. Peter Mergen. Hanamo 64; Bell 153. 27-30

S. S. Webb of Burlington Junction was in Maryville Saturday with some exhibits of the corn he has raised on his farm this year.

QUEEN OF ACTRESSES PRAISES PE-RU-NA.

Miss Julia Marlowe

"I am glad to write my endorsement of the great remedy, Peruna. I do so most heartily."--Julia Marlowe.

Any remedy that benefits digestion strengthens the nerves.

The nerve centers require nutrition.

If the digestion is impaired, the nerve centers become anemic, and nervous debility is the result.

A Talk to the Readers of This Paper

It has not been the policy of the Institution which I represent to say much to the readers of this valuable paper during the present month, and you have not seen much "dope" about The Maryville Business College. The fact is that we have been so busy in our school that I have not had time to write very much. We have been "sawing wood," so to speak, and the college has done more business in September than ever before, and the outlook for a great school this year is very gratifying. Hundreds of letters and scores of personal calls lead me to believe that the public is finding out our true worth and the present attendance is proof of their appreciation.

Next week will find my office located down stairs where it will be more convenient for you to step in and see me about the possibilities of a business education. I would be glad to talk it over with you.

On Monday, next, we start a new department in our school, known as the Central Auction School. You may rest assured that we have a capable teaching force and that we can and will do all and more than we promise. Time will tell how successful this new department will be. I may have made mistakes in the past, but not in the school business and I am taking the chances on knowing my business. My auctioneers are good ones and I have plenty of them behind the new department. Students should report to me Monday or Tuesday.

The regular departments of Bookkeeping and Stenography are open day and night, and they have the "ginger" in them that does things.

A score of new students will register next week and by the last of October we expect to have more students than we had all last year.

But I must stop or this will begin to look like an advertisement.

Yours sincerely,

E. S. COOK, President.

Joselyn's Hog and Chicken Powders

I am the agent for these well known remedies, which are sold under a binding and positive guarantee. You are given the opportunity to buy and try these powders without any payment until after you are fully satisfied of their efficacy. They are for sale in Maryville at R. S. Braniger & Co.'s store, or write or phone the store for me.

JOE BLUEL

VIRTUOLA

What is it? A musical wonder, made by Hallet & Davis Piano Co., Boston. Sold by

D. N. SCOTT
Maryville, Mo.

Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans went to Hopkins Friday noon to complete arrangements for removing to her new home.

SPEAKERS AT THE NORMAL CHAPEL

The students and faculty of the Normal were given an unusual treat at the chapel period Friday morning. The entertainers were Prof. Miller of the department of expression and Prof. Shepard Leffler, who has been in the city visiting his parents.

Mr. Miller read a selection from Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice." He read that section commonly known as the bargain scene in scene 3, act 1. His interpretation of Shylock, which is accounted to be the most difficult of Shakespeare's characters to elucidate, was excellent, and the entire reading was of keen interest.

Prof. Leffler's talk was of great interest, not to mention the historical value derived from it. His subject was the "English Parliament." Throughout his address Mr. Leffler contrasted the English parliament with our own congress. Mr. Leffler was a visitor at the house of commons and heard the discussion of Lord George on the famous budget bill. This noted debate began at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and lasted until nearly 4 o'clock the following morning. He also heard the debate on the Irish land bill. Mr. Leffler's speech, as a whole, was replete with humor, and contained the personal touch which makes the description of great historical points so full of interest.

SCHOOL WILL SELL EXPRESS PACKAGES

An arrangement has been made whereby the Central Auction school will sell the unclaimed express packages held by the Adams Express company in the state of Missouri. The sale will be conducted in Maryville, and as there are several hundred packages, it is sure to attract many people to the sale. The date of the sale will be announced later, and it will be extnsively advertised throughout the entire state. The greatest excitement prevails at these sales, and sometimes valuable articles are bought for a few cents.

ANOTHER DIVORCE SUIT WAS FILED

A divorce suit was filed Friday by Attorney G. P. Wright for Maggie Cain against Roy Cain. The petition states that they were married January, 1907, and lived together until September, 1911, when the defendant left and failed and refused to support the plaintiff and two children.

Returned From Kansas City.

Mrs. James F. Colby returned Saturday noon from Kansas City, where she spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Paul Ream. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Ream, who has been suffering the past two weeks from a severely sprained ankle, but is now able to walk some by the use of crutches.

Will Sing in Protracted Meeting.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon went to Cowgill, Mo., Saturday, where she has been engaged to sing in the revival services at the M. E. church, South, that are being conducted by Evangelist Snarr. Rev. Medley is pastor of the church.

On Visit to Son.

Mrs. R. M. Black and her little granddaughter, Virginia Black, went to Kansas City Saturday morning for a two weeks' visit with her son, Sherman Black, and his wife.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Mrs. R. H. Duncan went to Kansas City Saturday morning to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. B. F. Meyers of Lewis, Ia., visited in Maryville Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lucas. Mrs. Meyers and her husband, Rev. Meyers, who is pastor of the Congregational church at Lewis, attended the association at Council Bluffs this week, and Mrs. Meyers came here on her way home.

Reflective Quality of Wall Paper.

In painting or papering the walls of a room the question often arises what color reflects the most and what the least light. Recent experiments in Germany gave the following results: Dark blue reflects 2½ per cent of the light falling upon it, dark green about 10 per cent, pale red a little more than 16 per cent, dark yellow 20 per cent, pale blue 30 per cent, pale yellow 40 per cent, pale green 46½ per cent, pale orange nearly 55 per cent, white 70 per cent. Glossiness and varnish increase the amount of light reflected.—Harper's Weekly.

TRADE REVIEW FOR THE WEEK

Dun Says Conservatism Rules in All Lines.

VOLUME IS VERY EXTENSIVE.

Nothing in Industrial Situation to Correspond With Financial Commotion in Wall Street—Trade Slowly Improves in Footwear.

New York, Sept. 30.—Dun's Review of Trade says:

There is nothing in the industrial and mercantile situation to correspond with the commotion recently prevailing in the financial markets. While conservatism is the rule in all branches of trade and industry, supplies in nearly every line are so narrow, and immediate requirements of a constantly increasing number of consumers are so large, that the volume of business is very extensive. Buying of iron and steel products is confined to pressing needs, yet consumption is not much below maximum. In the Pittsburgh district concessions on open hearth billets and sheet bars bring quotations down to $19 and $19.50, respectively. In the rail division an inquiry for 80,000 tons of bessemer rails is reported. A contract for 10,000 tons for the Chilean state railways also is reported. Among the plate mills, however, quieter conditions prevail, with orders from car and locomotive works diminishing.

Trade slowly improves in footwear. Orders placed by jobbers continue for small quantities, but they are numerous and in the aggregate satisfactory. Buying of spring goods is not active. Better conditions prevail in leather. Total sales of sole leather for a week are estimated at 250,000 sides. Sales of hides are not as large as in some recent weeks, but the trade is mostly sold up on about all varieties.

NOTICE OF OUSTER SUIT

Papers Served on Councilmen of Hunnewell, Kan.

Hunnewell, Kan., Sept. 30.—Papers in the ouster suit of Attorney General Dawson against the councilmen of Hunnewell were served upon the members of the council. Two actions are set forth in the papers. The first is a petition to the court that the councilmen be suspended from office until the final disposition of the ouster proceedings is made by the court, and the second is that the councilmen be ousted permanently and bodily from their offices.

Hearing on the first petition will be before the Kansas supreme court on Oct. 6, and upon the second Oct. 26.

Answers to the suit, giving the councilmen's side, are ordered to be filed in court before Oct. 3.

File Charges Against Tobacco Trust.

New York, Sept. 30.—After a conference with Attorney General Wickersham the independent tobacco dealers laid a general complaint against the American Tobacco company before the attorney general. E. M. Hunter, counsel for the independents, said the complaint covers the situation in a broad sense and does not deal with price cutting alone. Attorney General Wickersham said he would take the matter under consideration.

Farmer Victim of Own Gun Trap.

Wilber, Neb., Sept. 30.—Arthur Krauter, a farmer living near here, was shot by his own spring-gun wolf trap. He had arranged a coyote trap, a piece of meat being used as bait and attached to the trigger of a shotgun. Krauter was trying to drive a frightened calf into his barn and accidentally stumbled over the trap, kicking the bait. Both barrels of the gun were discharged into his feet and legs.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 95¼c; Dec., 98⅝c.
Corn—Sept., 68⅝c; Dec., 63¾@63⅞.
Oats—Sept., 46c; Dec., 47¾c.
Pork—Jan., $15.05; May, $15.05.
Lard—Sept., $9.17½; Jan., $8.90.
Ribs—Sept., $8.32½; May, $7.95.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, winter, $1.00@1.04; No. 2 corn, 68¼@69c; No. 2 white oats, 47½@48½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; slow, weak; beeves, $4.75@8.15; western steers, $4.25@7.00; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.65; cows and heifers, $2.00@6.20; calves, $6.00@9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; strong to 5c up; light, $6.10@6.75; mixed, $6.05@6.80; heavy, $5.80@6.70; rough, $5.90@6.05; pigs, $4.00@6.15; bulk, $6.10@6.55. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; slow, weak; natives, $2.25@4.00; westerns, $2.75@4.10; yearlings, $3.85@4.50; lambs, $4.00@6.00.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 835; slow; beef steers, $4.25@7.50; cows and heifers, $3.00@4.25 stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.00; calves, $4.00@7.25. Hogs—Receipts, 3,291; 5c higher; larger droves were put up at $6.15@6.20; best bacon animals made a top of $6.30. Sheep—Receipts, 48,000; steady; wethers, $3.25@3.85; ewes, $3.00@3.65; lambs, $5.00@5.65.

ITALIAN TROOPS OCCUPY TRIPOLI

Rome Declares War With Turkey When Time Limit Expires.

IGNORES REQUEST FOR DELAY

Following Declaration of Hostilities Commander Is Asked to Surrender Town, but Declines—Cruiser Destroys Turkish Torpedo Boat.

ITALY'S NAVY SUPERIOR.

The navy of Italy ranks sixth among the navies of the world. The navy of Turkey ranks sixteenth.

Italy has an army of 225,000, with 300,000 reserves and 1,200,000 men available for military service.

Turkey has a peace force of 375,000, with 300,000 reserves and 2,000,000 men available for military service.

London, Sept. 30.—Affairs developed with extraordinary rapidity. A state of war exists between Italy and Turkey and hostilities have begun.

No sooner had the time limit fixed in the ultimatum expired than, ignoring Turkey's conciliatory request for a period of delay, Italy declared war. The Turkish representatives in Italy were handed their passports.

The Turkish commander at Tripoli was asked to surrender the town, but declined, and the Italian forces immediately occupied Tripoli and Benghazi.

Immediately on landing the Italians evidently seized the telegraph lines. From the hour of their landing no message of any kind has been received from Tripoli and dispatches sent to that place remained unanswered.

The Turkish cabinet, which had been for some time insecure, resigned as soon as war was declared and a new ministry was formed under Said Pasha, but retaining the former able war minister, Mahmoud Shefket Pasha.

Turkey continues her effort to secure intervention by the powers. In the meantime Italy is actively pursuing hostilities. Italian battleships are reported to have appeared off Smyrna and Salonika.

An Italian cruiser landed troops at Prevesa after destroying a Turkish torpedo boat destroyer and the Italian fleet has blockaded the whole Tripolitan coast.

There are unconfirmed reports that Turkey intends to send an ultimatum to Greece to abandon her claims on Crete, and is massing troops on the Thessalian frontier.

The greatest activity ensued in all the European chancelleries on receipt of the announcement that war had been declared and notification of a blockade. It is expected the various governments will issue the customary neutrality notices and will devote their diplomatic efforts as far as possible to localizing hostilities to the combatant powers and especially to avoiding complications in the Balkans.

Trouble Dates Back to 1878.

The trouble between Turkey and Italy, which culminated in a declaration of war at Rome, dates back to 1878, when with the making of the treaty concluding the Russo-Turkish war, the powers are understood to have agreed to permit Italy a "pacific penetration of Tripoli."

Turkey claims that this right has been respected ever since.

Italy has colonized Tripoli until her interests in that Turkish-African province are very great. She has asserted, however, that her subjects have been mistreated by the Ottoman authorities and constantly discriminated against. Italy at last decided to establish a protectorate, and this Turkey opposed.

Naval Battle Off Prevesa.

Paris, Sept. 30.—The Matin's Athens correspondent says the telegraph official at Vonitza, Greece, has wired to the government that a naval battle occurred off Prevesa.

Italian warships belonging to the Italian squadron encountered a flotilla of Turkish destroyers cruising off the coast of Epirus.

The Italians promptly attacked the flotilla and two Turkish ships were badly damaged by shells. They have gone ashore in the Gulf of Arta.

Two Killed by Explosion of Shrapnel

Columbus, O., Sept. 30.—Private Howard W. Gam and Corporal Rowland Beverly of battery A, field artillery, of Cleveland were killed at the government maneuvers' camp at Sparta, Wis., by an explosion of shrapnel in a gun. Private John Cutcheon and Earl B. Snyder of the Cleveland battery were seriously injured.

Cattle Expected in China.

Chung Kiang, Sept. 30.—A dispatch from Chengtu states that 10,000 rebels are gathered thirty miles west of that city and that government troops are marching against them. It is expected that the viceroy will soon permit foreigners to leave Chengtu.

Start Fire With Oil; Two Dead.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 30.—Two persons are dead and two are seriously injured as the result of starting a fire with kerosene. The dead are Mrs. William Houle and her granddaughter Marie Bouche.

ORDER FOR SHOP STRIKE ISSUED

Union Men on Harriman Lines Will Quit Work Today.

THINK MEN WILL NOT GO OUT

Managers of Lines Located in Chicago Think Order Will Not Be Obeyed to Any Great Extent—Thousands Already Idle.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—The long threatened strike of shopmen on the Harriman lines, including the Illinois Central, will become a reality today, unless the men, who have twice voted to strike, refuse to obey the order sent out by the presidents of the five unions directly involved.

The presidents say the men have not weakened in their desire to force the railroads to recognize their newly established Federation of Shop Employees by means of a strike and that more than 90 per cent of the men will quit work. The fight, they say, is likely to prove long drawn out.

The railroads, on the other hand, say the workers do not want to strike, that they have been forced into their position by the union leaders and that a great majority will refuse to leave their work when the hour is reached.

The railroads are in good shape to stand a strike right now, according to officials. A retrenchment order recently issued reduced the number of employees nearly 25 per cent and there is a sufficient number of idle men in all crafts to permit the roads to keep their shops running even if all the men go out.

This was denied by President Kline of the blacksmiths' union, who said the men the railroads are counting on to fill the strikers' places are men who were laid off recently and who are union men and would refuse to work during a strike.

Order Follows Consultation.

The strike order came after a consultation over the long distance telephone between Presidents Kline, Ryan of the carmen and Franklin of the boilermakers in Kansas City and O'Connell of the machinists, Davenport. President O'Sullivan of the sheet metal workers, who had already agreed to the time, departed for Pittsburgh, Pa., from where he will conduct the fight.

The following is a text of the telegram sent by the international officers of the federation system to the various locals:

"All efforts have failed. Mr. Kruttschnitt refuses. All crafts strike Saturday, Sept. 30. Letter of instructions follow. Let every man do his duty."

Strikebreakers at Sedalia Shops.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 30.—Fourteen men were brought here from St. Louis and put to work in the yards of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway yards in place of striking carmen.

NO REFORM, SAYS SHERIFF

Chief Deputy of Cook County Claims Hardened Criminals Never Change.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—"Reforming the hardened criminal is an impossibility," said Charles W. Peters, chief deputy sheriff of Cook county, in an address delivered here.

"My twenty-five years of experience with hardened criminals has convinced me they never mend their ways permanently. They may improve for a time, but in the end 99 out of every 100 go back to a life of crime.

"Scientists tell us crime is a disease. Well, if it is, some one should invent a cure. Half of the people who preach reform in the methods of handling criminals do not know what they are talking about. The methods of the state reformatory institutions are crude and unsatisfactory. We have made but little progress along this line in twenty years.

"There is something radically wrong with our jury system. In Chicago there were eighteen murder cases tried in the first four months of this year without one conviction."

Killed While Trying to Save Kitten.

Kansas City, Sept. 30.—To save a lean, straggly, stray kitten from death under the wheels of a locomotive, I. J. Soper, a baggage man employed by the Kansas City Terminal company, dashed in front of a Santa Fe train in this city. He was knocked twenty feet from the track and when picked up was dead. The kitten also was killed.

Bees Rout Two Robbers.

Hamel, Minn., Sept. 30.—According to Robert Schultz, the farmer attacked and beaten by two robbers, a swarm of bees came to his assistance and routed his assailants.

A Dreadful Sight

To H. J. Barnum of Freeville, N. Y., was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Boils, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns and Piles like magic. Only 25c at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.

A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be *sure* and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will HIS CONFIDENCE IN HIMSELF TO MAKE GOOD.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL - - - - - $100,000.00
SURPLUS - - - - - $22,000.00

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having rented my farm, I will sell at my place 10 miles southwest of Maryville, 8 1-2 miles northwest of Barnard and 7 3-4 miles northeast of Graham, on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5. 1911

The following property:—9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 pair of sorrel mares five and seven years old, both bred to Hardi; 1 gray mare seven years old, Con's jack; 1 bay family horse, smooth mouth; 2 yearling draft colts 1 yearling mule, 2 weanling colts. 52 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 good milch cows, 5 yearling heifers, 43 head of good steer and heifer calves. 95 HEAD OF HOGS—90 head of spring shoats, 5 good brood sows. 10 Tons of Hay in barn—400 bushels of oats. IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, surrey, buggy, 2 cultivators, McCormick mower, stalk cutter, harrow, lister and drill combined, grindstone, 2 breaking plows, disc harrow, 2 sets heavy work harness, 1 set single harness, saddle, bridle and buggy harness. All implements are in first class condition. A lot of household and kitchen furniture, nearly new; and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch Served by Ladies of Pleasant Grove Church

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer
George Cole, Clerk

Hutchison H. Lyle

CLOSING OUT SALE

I will sell at my farm, 2½ miles northeast of Arkoe and southeast of Maryville, on

Tuesday, October 3, 1911

The following property: 17 HEAD OF HORSES AND MARES—6 brood mares from 6 to 10 years old, all bred to Norman horse; 1 gelding 6 years old, broke to all harness, safe for a lady; 3 yearling fillies, 7 weanling colts. A high grade Normal stallion, a good one, and will have his colts to show. 14 HEAD OF CATTLE—10 head of A 1 dairy cows. These cows are a lot that I have been selecting for some time and will sure produce the goods. 3 yearling heifers (to freshen in the spring), 1 yearling Shorthorn bull. 120 HEAD OF HOGS—53 spring shoats, 9 sows with 58 pigs by their sides. 15 to 20 tons of clover hay, 180 acres of good fall pasture (plenty of water), 45 acres of corn to be sold bythe bushel. IMPLEMENTS—Manure spreader, wheat drill, new 16-inch John Deere sulky plow, cultivator, harrows, listers and drills, and, in fact, a full line of implements in first class condition. A nearly new De Laval 700-pound capacity separator. Sale begins at 10:30 prompt.

TERMS—All sums $10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months' time, on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on the ground.

H. T. COULTER

Jos. Jackson, Clerk. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

Kane's Place

Liquors,

Wines,

Cigars,

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention

Is Guest of Mrs. Anthony.

Mrs. D. F. M. Weeks of Kansas City arrived in the city Friday noon for a visit with her sister, Mrs. F. R. Anthony.

Miss Ruby Clements of Arkoe was in Maryville Friday.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each, at Crane's.

The Fighting Hope

Novelized by VIRGINIA LEILA WENTZ

From the Play by WILLIAM J. HURLBURT

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PROLOGUE.

A strong man bravely facing the foes who would brand him with disgrace, calmly, silently fighting them to a finish; a convict declaiming his innocence from behind prison walls which enfold him because of his weakness and his wickedness; a beautiful young mother battling for a stainless name for her children and for the fair name of their father—what more interesting themes than these could a novelist devise for a real life romance of today?

CHAPTER I.

MAN AND WIFE.

ROBERT GRANGER, JR., who had already learned "The Purple Cow," was endeavoring to master another gem from the Burgess Nonsense book. The drawings appealed to him immensely. He sat on the edge of the rug, his back against his father's chiffonnier, his legs of six years' growth stretched out, the book open upon his knee. Occasionally he made a dash with his hand at an inquisitive fly.

Across from him on a low rocker, her shining head bent slightly over in the serious operation of sewing a button on a coat, softly hummed his young mother. Presently the boy shuffled along the floor, still keeping the book on his lap, till he got close to her and lodged his chin on her knee.

"See if I don't know it, muddie," said he. And he began:

"The roof it has a lazy time
A-lying in the sun;
The walls they have—they have"—

An incipient dimple showed in his mother's cheek.

—"to hold him up;
They do not have much fun,"

Finished she gayly. She pushed the boy's hair back from his brow and kissed him. "Now run down into the garden, honey, and play with nurse and Baby Harold. Plenty of sun and fresh air and deep breathing, you know. That's what makes a little fellow into a big, strong man, eh—not too many nonsense verses?"

Robert put his book away reluctantly. "But I love po'try, too, darling, dear," asserted he, stroking her face prettily, before quitting the room.

He's his father over and over again—gentle, appealing, winning. And sentimental, too, I'm afraid," added Anna, with a slow, enigmatical smile, as she snipped off the thread with her sound, perfect white teeth.

She rose to put the coat away. In doing so the contents slipped from one of the pockets that had been hanging over her knee. She stooped to replace them, the contents varied and inconsequential as any boy's. Then her glance fell upon a bill of fare—a French bill of fare, full of naughty things to eat and drink for two. It bore the date of the day previous.

A dancing little spirit of mischief played in the beautiful gray eyes.

"I'll keep it forninst my lord's return," quoth she. "I'll chaff him with it a bit when he gets home this afternoon, pretend I'm catty and jealous, injured virtue through and through. Oh, lordy, lordy, fancy me being jealous, and of dear old Bobs!"

Robert Granger reached his suburban home in Westfield early that afternoon. It was Saturday, a fine summer day, and he'd promised to take his boys to Cranford, a few miles distant, for a sail on the river.

"Glad you have on that dress, Anna," said he. "It's awfully becoming, and I want you to look your prettiest. Brady is coming out this afternoon, and"—

"But the boys—the river?" Her first thought was of her children's disappointment (though her dislike for the man Brady, who always "got on her nerves," came in a close second).

"The boys? I'd quite forgotten. Well, you'll have to fix it up with them; put them off till some other time. I"—

"Robert, I wish—I wish you wouldn't forget like that. It's growing to be a habit with you, dear, and I hate—I hate to have the children lose faith in your promises. I want them to learn that a promise means"—

He interrupted with some sharp inconsequence, and Anna's wide, surprised eyes goaded him into a tempest of words.

"Are you so burdened with motherhood," he cried, "that you can't even be a wife? It's plain to see that I'm only worth to you what I may be worth to the children, and no man—no man, I repeat—can stand that sort of thing."

Anna flushed and wondered what she could have done to cause this extraordinary outbreak. Her first impulse always where Robert was concerned was to try to ascertain where she herself had been found wanting. In the symphony of womanhood she had but played over and over again the largo of motherhood, this slim, girlish figure with the exquisite flowerlike face, for her physical attitude toward even her boyish, irresponsible husband was largely maternal.

She wondered, but in this instance she was rather at a loss. There was a senseless ambiguity about the affair that baffled her. She flushed hotter. It seemed to be an indignity that even for a second Robert should have become so exceedingly small in her eyes.

When she returned from "fixing it up" with the boys she crossed to the window and looked out into the garden. The sun was still shining, but it had lost its gold to her.

There was a-plenty of its gold in the ripples of her brown hair, however. Robert noticed it. He saw, too, that her slight figure, dressed in the simplest of white dimities, ran around the corner of pretty curves wherever one's eyes lighted and followed the lines. There was an offended look about her back and a half amused displeasure touching her profile.

"I'm sorry I spoke like that, Anna," said he, trying to apologize. "A man has a lot to fight against"—at the end of several halting sentences—"of which even his wife knows nothing."

"Have you to fight?" asked she, turning around and laughing in spite of herself. "You don't look like a fighter, Bobs. You look like a man to whom—well, to whom things come."

"Nothing," observed he, with befitting gravity—"nothing comes without hustling and exertion and perspiration, either of brow or spirit."

"In that case," said she, still regarding him reflectively, "I ought to know about this perspiration and the other accompaniments. With two children it's quite time I began to face things." She came nearer and laid her hand on his shoulder. "Things might strike me differently, you see, if I knew more. Your odd, puzzling little moods—I could make allowances for them."

He grew confused beneath her candor.

"My ill temper," he blurted out, "was of course, inexcusable. Still"—

"Oh, nonsense! I don't mind the ill temper in the least. I've heaps of my own to match it. It's the freakishness of the thing, the—the weakness of such a twisted, untrue mood that bothers me. How would you feel," she added quickly, "if you got some remote hint that your mahogany cabinet was a veneered imitation or if the smallest doubt came to you about the genuineness of that Inness landscape there? You'd have forty fits on the instant. Now, that's how I feel about you and the children—my small collection. If I should discover one day that you were sham products of a bad period instead of being originals of the best—oh, deary me!"

"But, Anna, you want perfection. Now, a man"—

"Perfection? Not a bit of it! To live in the company of three angels would be a nightmare. It would demoralize me to feel myself so abject an outsider. As to temper, you may even on occasion storm because you've mislaid your gloves or your commutation tickets or throw the soup at Bridget's head if it's not hot and well seasoned. In those cases, you see, I should understand your motives and your modes of action would not be baffling. It's the—the illusive, twisted moods, as I say, that confuse me, make me think of bad periods and things."

Here the bell rang, and Bridget ushered in Miss Mary Graham.

"You've just come in the nick o' time," said Anna, greeting her guest warmly with a score of engaging prettinesses. "Robert and I were in the thick of a sanguinary encounter."

"Well," returned Miss Graham, smiling, "you do your fighting artistically. I see no signs of vulgar strife."

"We thought," explained Anna, "we'd save our scalps for future use, since Robert expects a guest this afternoon. Now tell me about yourself, dear," added she, as her husband laughingly strolled out upon the porch. "It was most awfully nice to hear you had secured such a fine secretarial position—somewhere up the Hudson, isn't it? Must be nice and cool for this hot weather."

"It's just a bit below Ossining. Those horrid prison walls are the only disturbing feature about the place, and the people are all that one could wish. Mr. Temple—he's just been made president of the Gotham Trust company, and I'm his first home secretary, I believe—although wholly businesslike and reserved, is polite and considerate. And his mother—oh, Anna, she's just the dearest, sweetest patrician old lady you ever saw! Then there's the housekeeper; she's a queer old Puritan article, plain as a Wesleyan chapel, severe as an ancestor in oil, but so kind and good. Yes, I'm very fortunate in my new position. Oh, look at your distinguished guest!" cried Miss Graham. "Look at his smart little trap; look at the antics of his brown cobs. Who is he? Robert is greeting him as if he were the grand mogul."

"A Mr. Cornelius Brady, I believe," said Anna indifferently—"one of Robert's innumerable 'finds.' Do you know, dear," added she impulsively, leaning forward, "I wish Robert were not so susceptible. He costs me more sighs and watchfulness than both my other children put together."

Miss Graham observed the "other" and secretly condoned it.

Mr. Cornelius Brady came smoothly into the pretty little green and dun drawing room. Suave, adroit, with the contained manner of the man of the world, he impressed one as having the gift of moral construction, reconstruction or destruction, as the case might be.

While the small talk went its rounds, while the June air stirred the curtains and stole in softly laden with scent from the rosebushes, his eyes rested on his young hostess' delicate face with an admiration as genuine as it was indiscreet. Her sweet, joyous womanliness was enough to enchant even a man like him, jaded with many enchantments.

But Granger was scarcely alive to the indiscretions. Anything in the shape of victory attracted him. If the victor happened to be your own wife, so much the better.

"Good heavens," he exclaimed suddenly, "there are those children squalling like fiends! They're experts already in every ill timed interference. Robert will be fit for nothing in life but a minister. As for the other"—

But the woman to whom he had addressed these remarks had already vanished and was making for the back garden.

The shrill, importunate little voices turned to a whimper as she appeared.

"My two dear red turkey cocks, what's it all about?" cried she cheerfully, with a pretty gathering in sort of gesture.

"B-bobbie he h-hurted me wid a s-sto-one, he did," sobbed Harold, burying his baby face in her skirts.

"Oh, muddie," explained Robert junior, "I was just throwin' stones at the lazy roof, you know, an'—an' one of 'em hit Harold; that's all. Shut up, Harold, will you? When you cry you cry mud, an' it's most disgustin'. People ought to cry clean water, oughtn't they, muddie?" he protested, looking disdainfully at the soiled cherub peering helplessly upward from the folds of his mother's skirts.

"Best plan would be not to cry at all. Even clean crying makes ugly, red little noses. Nurse, wash this sorry wee face, please. If Harold's good he shall have strawberries for tea."

"And, Robert," she added, with a whimsical smile, "don't bother about throwing stones at the lazy roof. There are some things in life we must learn to take as we find them. The lazy roof

"HER CHILDREN SUIT HER TO PERFECTION, EH, BRADY?"

is one. If you really must give vent to your feelings you can pat the good supporting walls, my little son."

Presently, clean and fresh, the children were brought into the drawing room to greet Miss Graham before she left. As she was receding down the tree lined avenue Robert junior stood one arm about his mother's waist and waved to her. Robert senior seized the other rollicking atom and deposited him in Anna's arms. Then he stood back to enjoy the artistic effect.

"Her children suit her to perfection, eh, Brady?" quoth he. "If her children don't go well with a woman you may take your oath there's something radically wrong with her."

"Physically or morally?" Brady asked, laughing.

"Both," said Granger. "So far as the female sex is concerned, they are convertible terms. Have a cigar?"

"Since we've become mere pegs on which to hang psychological discussions, my boys, we'll return to our native heath," said Anna laughingly.

Brady watched with singular interest the easy strength with which she walked off with her sons. Hitherto she had seemed to him altogether fragile, Dresden china-ish.

"I saw a look on Mrs. Granger's face awhile ago," he said half to himself, "a look that surprised me. I believe there are very few things she couldn't do once she set her mind to action."

An uncomfortable, prickly sensation ran down Robert's back; his smile of satisfaction weakened. Then over their cigars they began to talk of other things. From the open door of the nursery Anna could hear broken fragments coming up:

"Money, the vital fluid, doesn't seem to be flowing so easily through the body of things." "The banks are lending less, securities seem less stable, stocks are down," etc.

That night Granger enjoyed his dinner unreservedly, and there was a certain scintillating novelty about his wife's looks that engaged his attention. His after dinner smoke was his favorite one. It seemed vixenish to interfere with it, so Anna waited, playing idly with the almonds and raisins on her plate. Robert, between his puffs, noticed that they were delicate and pretty hands, and that there were only two rings—the wedding ring and the engagement ring. He felt a vague impression that most women wore more than that. At least, one woman whom he knew wore more. He remembered her hands distinctly. He had made her a birthday present of a diamond ring only a few days before, and when she thanked him for it later he had noticed that her hand fairly flashed with diamonds.

Presently Anna got up, and, leaning lightly against the mantel shelf, watched him oddly. She might as well out with it.

"Robert," said she, "you like Mr. Brady through and through?"

"Like Brady? Why, yes, and he's a decidedly useful man to know—interested in all sorts of big concerns, nothing of a snob, and"—

"I—I rather wanted to compare notes with you. You're so quick and sensitive. I wondered if you had noticed—things." She flushed hotly.

"Nothing at all, except that he seems to approve of my selection of a wife. Would you prefer, then, not to be admired?"

"I like being admired, of course. I like it most awfully. But it depends, doesn't it, on the way it's done. Why, even Mary Graham noticed"—

"You surely don't mean to imply that my friend Brady means any harm?"

With a vehement gesture Anna drew her fingers across her eyes.

"No one except the stage villain ever does mean any harm, I suppose," she said. "The others do it from absence of mind, perhaps. Oh, I dare say I'm horrid," added she softly, seeing a hurt look on Robert's face—"horrid and not sufficiently grateful for my privileges. Probably it's all vanity and self consciousness. You'd have noticed all these unpleasantnesses naturally, since I belong to you?" She put out both hands to him with friendly, irresistible grace. At that moment the longing to feel protected was very strong within her.

"Of course I'd have noticed," reassured Robert, looking at her in his boyish, ingenuous fashion, and with a brilliant, ready smile. It was this look and this smile that had first won his way into the sympathies of her heart.

Suddenly, under the spell of his caress, Anna remembered something. The dimples stirred in her cheeks as she disengaged herself.

"Wait, Bobs, I'll be back in a second," she said and ran lightly upstairs.

"Now, sir," standing before her liege lord in mock accusing fashion and handing him the French bill of fare, "since you refuse to be jealous of me I'm most mightily inclined to be jealous of you. Who did you lunch with yesterday? Defend yourself!"

(To be continued next Saturday.)

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ONE SHOW AN HOUR

SOMETHING DOING ALL THE TIME AT THE STREET FAIR.

SIGNS POINT TO SUCCESS

The Many Attractions Offered Are Almost Without Parallel—Work Starts Next Week.

The list of free attractions and the shows that will be here during the Maryville free street fair, October 9 to 14, will be given out by the committee the first of next week. Several more are to be secured, and with those the committee have already contracted for, the fair's free attractions promise to eclipse anything ever had in Maryville.

The committee has decided on giving a free attraction every hour during the afternoons and evenings during fair week. Some of the free attractions are the Rosards, comedy acrobats and gymnasts; the McCoys, the funny house, and several others. Along the show line, Meade's Albany minstrels, DeKalb wild west show, Howell's glass blowers, an electric theater or moving picture show, the biggest Chinese turtle in the world, which is said to be 1,000 years old, and a plantation show are just a few of the shows that have been secured.

Two bands will probably furnish the music. The Maryville band has been secured, and the committee will probably get the Albany band.

With all of these shows and the several special features to be pulled off, such as the automobile flower parade, the horse and mule show, the public wedding on the court house steps, to be performed by Rev. W. J. Parvin, pastor of the M. E. church, South; fraternal parade, and the children's day parade, it looks like we will have a fair here that can't be beat.

The decorations that were used at St. Joseph will be used in Maryville on the streets, and with these decorations and the electric lights that will be hung on the streets for eight blocks, the streets will present a beautiful appearance. Work will commence next week on putting up the decorations and lights, and booths will also be erected.

That Maryville is to have a street fair no one can doubt by knowing of these events that are to take place during the week.

SAW WATER KNEE DEEP IN CORNFIELDS

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin and little son, Ralph, returned Saturday morning from a week's absence on business and pleasure in St. Louis and at Mason City, Ill. They visited Mr. Hotchkin's uncle, Allen Bradley, and family, at Mason City, Ill., which is one hundred miles or more northeast of St. Louis. All that region of country in which they traveled was being deluged with rain and they saw hundreds of acres of corn standing knee deep in water, a condition that now exists in many sections of Illinois.

"MINUTE MEN" AT BELL GROVE SCHOOL

The following pupils of the Bell Grove school, four and one-half miles southwest of Maryville, were neither absent or tardy during the month of September: Karl Parker, Lacey Auten, Wray Parker, Mary Auten. The teacher of Bell Grove school is Miss Ruby Ruddell.

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At the Churches

Services at St. Paul's Church.

Services will be held on Sunday, both morning and evening, at St. Paul's Episcopal church, conducted by Rev. Arch Deacon E. C. Johnson of Kansas City. All of the members and public are cordially invited.

First Presbyterian Church.

There will be no preaching services at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. Other services as usual. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

First M. E. Church.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Miss Besse Scott will sing a solo at the Sunday school. Epworth League at 6:30 o'clock. No church services, as Rev. Ford is away attending conference.

M. E. Church, South.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Morning services at 10:45, with sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Parvin. Miss Vernie Felter will sing at the morning services. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30, and Dr. C. H. Briggs, presiding elder, will occupy the pulpit. Miss Velma Gray will sing. Communion services will also be held.

First Baptist Church.

The State Normal quartet will sing two numbers at the morning service at the First Baptist church Sunday. The subject of the sermon by the pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel, will be "The Bible Observance of the Lord's Supper." Regular communion service will follow. The subject of the evening sermon at 7:30 o'clock will be "Sacrifice, the Source of All Freedom." Other services as usual. Sunday school at 9:45. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m.

First Christian Church.

Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching service at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Claude J. Miller. Subject, "America for Christ." Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m. Miss Theodosia Kreutz will be the leader. Evening service at 7:30. Subject of sermon by the pastor, "Temptation."

The morning service will be given to our fall budget offering, which was postponed from last Lord's day.

In the absence of Dr. D. J. Thomas, Mr. Ralph Eversole will be organist at both the morning and evening services.

Musical program for the day's services. Morning:

Prelude—Largo (from Xerxes)..... Handel
Communion—"Prayer to Our Lady" ..... Boellman
Offertory—"Evening Star" (from "Tannhauser") ..... Wagner
"Sanctus" ..... Hall
Choir.
Solo, Mrs. Robinson.
Postlude—Triumphal March (from "Naanan") ..... Costa

Evening:

Prelude.
Offertory.
Solo—"I Will Lay Me Down in Peace"..... Dudley Buck
Mrs. Robinson.
Anthem—"Son of My Soul"... McPhail
Choir.
Postlude.

ADDRESSED BUSINESS COLLEGE STUDENTS

Rev. Claud John Miller addressed the Business college students Friday morning, giving them an exceptionally good talk along the lines of business education. Rev. Miller is a graduate of the business college, having received his diploma some eight or ten years ago, and is familiar with the scope and purpose of business college work. He was sure that if he could not get both a business and a college education, that he would prefer the business education. He said that the world wanted people who knew how to do things and could do them when called upon to do so, illustrating his point by an incident that happened in a great sugar plant. The gigantic engine broke down and the expert who fixed it used just four minutes' time, for which he charged twenty-five cents; but he charged just one hundred dollars more for knowing how.

The faculty and the students were greatly pleased with Rev. Miller's address and he was enthusiastically applauded.

Left for Chicago.

Prof. Shepard Leffler, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Leffler, of this city, left Friday noon for Chicago, where he will take postgraduate work the coming year.

Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.

WHERE THEY LIVE

ADDRESSES OF MARYVILLE STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY.

THE BIG FOOTBALL GAME

Preparations Begin For Missouri-Kansas Game, Which Will Be Played at Columbia.

Columbia, Mo., Sept. 29.—Preparations for the Missouri-Kansas game are beginning, and some 1,000 applications have already been made for the reservation of seats, but by action of the athletic committee will not be accepted. This committee has ruled that no reservations will be made until the last week in October. Pamphlets concerning the game will be mailed at that time to all who have written for seats, and to all others whom it is thought are interested. After these pamphlets are sent out the reservations will be made as the orders are received, but no orders will be considered which were sent previous to that time. The price of admission to the field with a seat in the bleachers is $2. The new concrete bleachers will be reserved for the Missouri people, the Kansas people being seated in the old wooden bleachers. No one person will be allowed to buy more than six tickets. All mail orders should be sent to Mr. C. L. Brewer, director of athletics, Columbia.

Missouri's schedule for this season is:

September 30, William Jewell, at Columbia.

October 7, Rolla, at Columbia.

October 14, varsity freshmen, at Columbia.

October 21, Ames, at Ames.

October 28, Nebraska, at Lincoln

November 4, Oklahoma, at Columbia.

November 11, Washington, at St. Louis.

November 18, St. Louis university, at St. Louis.

November 25, Kansas, at Columbia.

The friends of the Maryville young men and women at Missouri university this year will be interested in the following directory:

Marie Brink, 1166 Paquin street; Herschel Colbert, 907 Lowry street; Helen Dunn, 303 Waugh street; Ora Eckles, Myrtle Eckles, 205 College avenue; Ivy Hawkins, 701 Hitt street; Winifred Hawkins, 109 Hitt street; Harold Heaton, 909 Lowry street; Albert Hogan, Paul Hogan, 906 Lowry street; Charles Kane, 1108 Walnut street; Adelbert MacMillen, 907 Lowry street; Earl Trullinger, Dana House, Fred Wolfers, Dana House, Robert Wells, Walter Wray, 906 Lowry street.

HOSMER'S SALES FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

The following is a list of sales to be conducted by R. P. Hosmer, "The Auctioneer." See dates and stock to be sold in lists shown below. When do you want to make your sale? Phone for dates at my expense. Office Phares lumber yard, Maryville, Mo. All phones:

Tuesday, October 3.

H. T. Coulter, two and a half miles east of Arkoe—17 horses and mares, 14 head of cattle, 120 head of hogs, implements, etc.

Wednesday, October 4.

J. R. Smith, one-quarter mile north of Barnard—7 head of horses and mules, 36 head of Holstein Friesian cattle, 120 head of hogs, a few good implements.

Thursday, October 5.

Hutchison H. Lyle, ten miles southwest of Maryville—9 head of horses and mules, 52 head cattle, 95 head of hogs, implements and household goods.

Saturday, October 7.

Hosmer's monthly stock sale, Gray's pavilion, Maryville—What do you want to sell in this sale?

Monday, October 9.

George Bickett, three miles northeast of Maryville—General closing out sale.

Thursday, October 12.

N. Kill, five miles southeast of Graham—horses, cattle, hogs, implements.

Saturday, October 14.

F. P. Robinson's annual Poland-China hog sale—The best lots you ever saw. H. S. Duncan and Hosmer, auctioneers.

Brought Mother Home.

Mrs. C. C. Corwin returned Friday noon from Edmond, Okla., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. E. A. Janes of that city, who will be her guest the coming winter.

TO BE ON HIGHWAY ACROSS THE CONTINENT

MARYVILLE STANDS GOOD SHOW ON PROJECTED MOTORWAY.

Route is to Go From St. Joseph to Omaha, and Saints Highway Could Be Used.

There is talk now of an ocean to ocean highway, and from what has appeared in the papers it seems that the highway will go through Kansas City, then up to St. Joseph, then Omaha. In selecting a highway from St. Joseph to Omaha on this ocean to ocean road, the Maryville Commercial club will make an effort to have the Saints Highway from St. Joseph to Maryville as the official route, and in case Omaha is left out the club will ask that the Saints Highway from St. Joseph to Maryville, then to Des Moines, be selected. That Maryville stands a good chance of being on the transcontinent highway is the opinion of several.

The article about the highway follows:

The Los Angeles-Kansas City-New York highway project and the western good roads movement generally will receive a good deal of encouragement and some very practical support from the Trans-Mississippi congress, which meets in Kansas City Nov. 14 to 17, according to good roads advocates who are members of the organization. Highway improvement will be considered from a strictly commercial standpoint, it being the aim of the congress to emphasize the commercial aspect of all questions with which it deals.

Two of the principal good roads advocates are Benjamin A. Fowler of Phoenix, Ariz., president of the National Irrigation congress, and J. B. Case, former president of the Trans-Mississippi congress.

"We are especially interested in the proposed ocean to ocean highway from Los Angeles to New York," said Mr. Fowler. "Several parties of tourists, starting from New York are to go over the route presently, and I have no doubt that the project will be carried out in good time. In a general way the route is from Los Angeles to San Diego, Cal., thence to Yuma, Phoenix and Globe, Ariz., through the northern part of New Mexico by way of Albuquerque to Trinidad, Col., connecting there with the Denver road and the Santa Fe trail leading through Kansas to Kansas City, up the Missouri river by way of St. Joseph to Omaha, across Iowa to Keokuk, thence to Decatur, Ill., thence to Chicago, Cleveland, Buffalo and New York City. That, of course, is only the plan in a general way. It makes little difference as to details, so long as we get a first class continental highway."

Auto Party from Kansas City.

Mrs. F. V. Sparr, Mrs. E. J. Hackler, Mrs. W. H. Hackler and Thomas E. Link of Kansas City, composed an automobile party that passed through Maryville Friday noon on their way to Des Moines, Iowa.

RAVENWOOD BAND TOOK THIRD PRIZE

The Ravenwood band took third prize at the out-of-town band contests held in St. Joseph Friday.

Overalls, jumpers and spreading straw hats were the uniforms of the Ravenwood Commercial College band, led by R. S. Bartlett. The roster follows:

Cornets—Henry McMillan, Frank Tebow, Loraine Seimen.

Baritone—William Hanner.

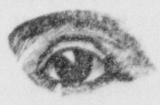
Trombones—Kenney Tebow, Vergil Moore, R. F. Craig, Joseph Windmiller.

Clarinets—Robert Francis, E. Bashor.

Tuba—Earl Nolt.

Drums—Ezra McMillan, Carl Flynn.

DR. FINN



Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Entertained Royal Neighbors.

Mrs. R. E. Thomas entertained the Royal Neighbors of Pansy camp at progressive dominoes from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Misses Mary and Verna Thomas, and Miss Mina Armstrong. Purple and white asters were used for decoration, and a three-course luncheon in purple and white was served. The game prize was won by Mrs. Lou Shanks, the consolation prize went to Mrs. Henry Wright, and the guest prize to Mrs. George Lucas. The members of the Royal Neighbors who were present were Mrs. Henry Thorp, Mrs. George Wallace, Mrs. Michael Lahr, Mrs. William Gross, Mrs. Del Thompson, Mrs. W. P. Howland, Mrs. W. W. Stiwalt, Mrs. W. R. Tilson, Mrs. John Bookman, Mrs. John Hansen, Mrs. Ed Dragoo, Mrs. John Wallace, Mrs. Will Edwards, Mrs. J. W. Cast, Mrs. Charles Jones, Mrs. Lon Shanks, Mrs. E. E. Tilton. Other guests were Mrs. U. S. Wright, Mrs. George Lucas and Mrs. Henry Wright and her mother, Mrs. Flora Jamison of Grant City, who is visiting her.

Will Be Married Next Week.

Maryville friends have received invitations to the marriage of Miss Una E. Hagood and Mr. Albert E. Russell, on Wednesday, October 4, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hagood of Arcadia, Neb. The bride-to-be is a graduate of the Maryville Conservatory of Music, in the class of 1908.

His Fifth Birthday.

Donald Herndon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herndon, was 5 years old Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Herndon, assisted by their daughter, Miss Fay, had five little guests at 6 o'clock dinner in honor of the day. Their guests were their son, Donald Herndon, and Harold Miller, Ruth Miller, Roberta Cook and Ora May Condon.

Entertained "The Bridgets."

Miss Glen Hotchkiss, assisted by Miss Eleanor Smith, was hostess to "The Bridgets" Saturday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Anna Hotchkiss, at 401 South Buchanan street.

Had Dinner Guests.

Miss Carrie Margaret Baker entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Friday evening, Miss Eleanor Smith, Miss Ruth Reuillard and Miss Mildred Robinson.

Guests at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Epperson and family on Thursday.

MRS. T. B. GILL DIED SEPTEMBER 22

Mrs. T. B. Gill, who was a former resident near Maryville, died on Friday, September 22, at her home, in Sheridan, Wyo., after a long illness of a complication of diseases. Mrs. Gill is survived by her husband and three children, who are Mrs. L. D. Taylor of Sheridan and Arthur and Armonde Gill, at home. The news of her death will be learned with keen regret by old friends here.

Mr. Gill and his family moved to Wyoming about ten years ago, where he engaged extensively in sheep raising. He was a well known farmer, living southwest of Maryville, previous to his removal to Wyoming.

Mrs. Gill's sister, Mrs. J. E. O'Neal of Maryville, went to Sheridan the first of August, in company with her husband and daughter, Miss Edna, on account of her sister's illness, and was there when she died. Miss Birde Shelton of this city went with the O'Neals to Wyoming and remained a month, camping in the mountains with the Gill, Taylor and O'Neal families, and Mrs. Gill was able to enjoy the outing.

The O'Neal family will visit their daughter, Mrs. Orlando Baird, at Boise, Idaho, before returning home.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Miss Blanche Welch went to Kansas City Friday morning to visit her brother, Edwin Welch and family.

A pie social was held at the Maple Grove school house, near Barnard, Friday night and $19.34 was taken in, to be used for putting in a library. A. S. Blagg is the teacher of the school.

Eastman kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

FOR STEALING TEAM

C. W. WILSON ARRESTED IN MARYVILLE SATURDAY MORNING.

SAID HE WAS BILBY'S SON

Left Savannah Team at Barnard, Where He Procured the One He Was Arrested For Stealing.

A livery team and buggy was hired Friday morning of Kellogg & Goforth of Barnard by a man who said that his name was C. W. Wilson, and claiming to be buying mules for a St. Joseph man. He was seen going through Maryville Friday afternoon, and the last track that was had of him was about five or six miles northwest of the city. Word was sent to all of the nearby towns by Sheriff Tilson over the telephone.

Wilson hired a team at Savannah Thursday for an hour or two and left the team at the Kellogg & Goforth livery stable at Barnard Thursday night. On Friday morning he told the livery stable man that he had driven his team from St. Joseph and thought it should rest, and wanted a livery team of them, as he wanted to buy some mules up near Arkoe and would be back in an hour or two. Savannah parties called up Barnard and found that their team was at Barnard, and by this time, Kellogg & Goforth became suspicious that the team was stolen, and search at once began for the missing team.

Wilson was arrested Saturday morning by Sheriff Tilson at Gray's sale pavilion. He had just come to town with Albert Carr, having spent Friday night at the Carr home. He represented to Mr. Carr that he was a son of Ed Bilby, and was around the country buying stock. He left the Kellogg & Goforth team at the Carr farm.

CATTERSON WINS SEVERAL MORE PRIZES

At the international live stock show at St. Joseph Friday, Omar Catterson of this city again won several prizes, as follows: In the Aberdeen Angus of senior bull calves Catterson took fifth on Queen's Quality Lad 3d. In the junior bull calves exhibit, Catterson took first on Queen Ito Lad. On aged cows, Catterson took third on Glen Erie Queen of All. On 2-year-olds, Catterson took second on Miss Quality.

REED DOESN'T KNOW WHETHER HE CAN COME

A letter was received by County Superintendent Oakerson from Senator Reed of Kansas City that he does not know at this time whether he will be able to speak in Maryville during the corn growing and domestic science contests to be held November 2, 3 and 4. He says he will know within the next week or so.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Friday to John E. Gray and Miss Lorena B. McDonald, both of Clearmont.

The Weather

Unsettled weather with showers tonight or Sunday; warmer tonight.

Not ANY Glasses

Don't forget that there ARE Glasses that will do your eyes more harm than good.

The lenses for YOU must be ground to your measure, just the same as a druggist puts up a prescription.

Glasses chosen in any other way are a positive danger.

This point cannot be given too much emphasis.

It is as easy for you to get the right kind as the wrong.

We will choose them for you, and do it in such a way that mistakes are impossible. At

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Went to St. Joseph.

The following parties left Saturday morning to spend the day at St. Joseph: William Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Dilts, Mrs. J. A. Riggle, Mrs. R. F. Hamblen, Miss May Mahoney, Mrs. O. W. Swinford, Miss May Harvey, Miss Mabel Mason, Miss Gertrude Mason, Miss Edith Wilson, Miss Floy Lyle, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar and daughter, Mildred; Miss Mamie Kane, Miss Nellie Douglass, Mrs. W. C. Ellison, Miss Susie Ellison, George D. Davis, Harold Stafford.

Attended Balie Waggener Picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Robinson and daughter, Lucile of Ottumwa, Ia., visited over Thursday night with their cousin, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, and family, living north of the city. The visitors have been visiting at Atchison, Kan., and attended the Balie Waggener picnic, where 15,000 children were guests on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, who were in St. Joseph Thursday, returned to Maryville Thursday night with their guests.

Virtuola Player.

Judge Collison of Maitland purchased of D. N. Scott this week one of those celebrated Virtuola player-pianos, made by the Hallet & Davis Piano company of Boston. This player is in a sphere of its own, possessing many new and wonderful features, which makes it possible for any and all to play the most beautiful and difficult selections with perfect ease and expression. Virtuola is the name.

Returned From St. Joseph.

Mrs. J. R. Brink and daughter, Mrs. R. P. Hosmer, returned Friday noon from St. Joseph, where they went Wednesday in Mr. Hosmer's car to attend the stock show. On account of the recent rains they returned on the train. Mr. Brink, who accompanied the party to St. Joseph, returned Thursday evening.

On Visit to Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gay, living nine miles northeast of the city, left Saturday noon for Kahoka, Mo., to visit their daughter, Mrs. E. Houchens, who is the wife of the pastor of the Methodist Protestant church at that place. They will also visit Mr. G ay's mother, Mrs. Nancy Gay, and other relatives, near Quincy, Ill., before their return.

Took Guest Home.

Miss Barbara Hunt, a State Normal student, went to her home in St. Joseph Friday evening to visit over Sunday. She was accompanied by Miss Mabel Hunt, clerk of the probate court, who will be her guest over Sunday. Miss Mabel Hunt will visit Grant City friends before returning home.

Mr. Beech Recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Scribner Beech, Jr., and little daughter, Elizabeth, went to Barnard Friday morning to spend a few days with Mrs. Beech's father, Charles H. Heaton. Mr. Beech is just recovering from a threatened case of typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Frencham of Ridgeway were in Maryville Thursday on business.

SEPTEMBER 30, 1911.

50--Good for 50 Votes--50

Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 50 votes.

(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers).

Not good after Thursday, October 12.

Raines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS
109 West Third St.

OAKERSON ON SPELLING BEE COMMITTEE

W. P. Evans, state superintendent of public schools, named a committee of one yesterday from each of the sixteen congressional districts to make arrangements for a state spelling contest. A time and place for holding the contest will be named. This committee will meet with the State Teachers' association at Hannibal, November 11 to 14, to prepare a program. It will announce the rules governing the contest. The county winner will be sent to the congressional district contest. The contestants for the state honor will be selected from those winners.

The committee named yesterday is made up of educators.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson was named as the one from the Fourth congressional district.

LITERARY SOCIETIES FORMED AT HIGH SCHOOL

The last period at the high school Friday was given up to the formation of various literary societies. Five societies were organized, according to the classes, the senior class being divided on account of its size. These societies will meet under the direction of the various teachers, every three weeks. The work which will be given will be considered as school work, and grades will be given as in any other branch. The object is to teach the students the rudiments of parliamentary usage, and to make them feel at ease before an audience. These organizations should be very beneficial to the student body.

CHRISTY A DELEGATE TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

Presiding Elder W. B. Christy was selected as one of the three ministerial delegates from the Missouri conference of the Methodist Episcopal church to the general conference, which meets at Minneapolis, Minn., next year at the Missouri conference, which is in session at Brookfield, Mo., this week. This is quite an honor, as the general conference of the church meets only once in four years and is the largest meeting of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—700. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 26,000.

Hogs—9,000. Market steady; top, $6.80. Estimate tomorrow, 28,000.

Sheep—3,000. Market weak.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—600. Market steady.

Hogs—2,000. Market steady; top, $6.45.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—600.

Hogs—2,200. Market steady; top, $6.45.

Sheep—300. Market weak.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Sept. 29.—Cattle receipts, 2,800. Market unchanged. Quality poor. Prospects fully steady for choice cattle next week. With moderate receipts, grassy and medium cattle have steady outlook.

Hog receipts, 8,500. Strong to 5c higher; top, $6.70; bulk, $6.35@6.65. Top hogs sold by the National. Can offer no encouragement for material improvement.

Sheep receipts, 1,000. Lambs 15@25c lower; top, $5.75. Sheep 10@15c lower; top, $3.65.

Threatened With Typhoid Fever.

Earl C. Borchers of Rosendale, a State Normal student, was taken to his home, four miles west of Rosendale, Saturday morning, threatened with typhoid fever. His father, James Borchers, came to Maryville Friday to accompany his son home. The patient was taken to the Burlington train Saturday morning in an ambulance. He has been making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cook, on West First street.

Returned to Topeka.

Mrs. A. Samuels of Topeka, Kan., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum, since Wednesday, left for her home Saturday morning. Her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Nusbaum, also of Topeka, will remain for a longer visit. Mrs. Samuels was an honor guest at the Barmann-Nusbaum party at the Elks club Thursday afternoon.

Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.

Personal Mention

D. W. Snoderly spent Saturday in Barnard on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Germing went to Conception Saturday.

Miss Esther Ferguson of Elmo was in the city shopping Saturday.

Misses Jennie and Rena Pearce of Barnard were shopping in Maryville Friday.

Mrs. Charles Butler of Hopkins came to Maryville Friday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Strawn.

Misses Virdah Daniels, Bessie Thompson and Donna Robinson of Barnard were in Maryville Friday.

Miss Beulah McCoppen, a Business college student, went to her home in Barnard Friday to visit over Sunday.

G. B. Holmes, Jr., went to St. Joseph Friday evening to visit over Sunday with the family of Judge Charles F. Strop.

Miss Helen Trullinger returned Friday noon from a three weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Clinton and Belton, Mo.

Miss Edith Fichtel of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Herman Weisenberger, returned to her home Saturday morning.

Miss Carrol Knoles of Bedford, Ia., was in the city Saturday on her way to New Hampton, Mo., to visit the family of F. M. Goff.

Miss Cora Sell and Miss Gladys Goforth, State Normal students, went to their home near Barnard Saturday morning to visit over Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Tracey and son, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Crow, returned to their home in St. Joseph Friday evening.

Miss Mabel Stewart, a teacher in the Hopkins school, was in the city Saturday on her way to Bedison to spend Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Arthur Miller returned to her home in Kansas City Friday, after a few weeks' visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, and family.

Miss Belle Scheifelman and Miss Nell Cameron of Stanberry were in Maryville Saturday morning between trains on their way to St. Joseph.

John Quinn left Friday for Afton, Okla., where he will be employed by David W. Hull and sons, former Nodaway county farmers near Maryville.

Miss Bertha Hale and Miss Carrie Coler, State Normal students, went to their home near Barnard Friday evening to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Fred Welch and little daughter of Omaha arrived in the city Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, with whom she made her home before her marriage.

Mrs. Fred Hull and little daughter, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie Porter of South Main street left for their home in Hiawatha, Kan., Saturday morning.

T. F. Merrigan, Jr., of Clyde, a student at St. Patrick's convent school, went to his home in Clyde Saturday to spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Merrigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and little daughter and Mrs. Moore's sister, Miss Lapensa Amrine, living northwest of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Friday evening to spend the week end.

Mrs. Irvin Bartram and son, Irvin John, Jr., accompanied Mr. Bertram to Hopkins Saturday noon and spent the afternoon as the guest of Mrs. Ed Brown.

Mrs. J. F. Brown and little daughter returned to their home in Kansas City Friday evening, after a several weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hastings.

Mrs. R. B. Oliphant and daughter, Miss Leila Oliphant, of near Pickering were shopping in the city Saturday. Miss Oliphant teaches the Long Branch school.

Miss Anna Brady, a student of St. Patrick's convent school, went to her home near Clyde, Saturday to visit until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brady.

Miss Clara Davenport of the Parnell school faculty and Miss Edith Davenport, who teaches near Pickering, came to the city Saturday to visit over Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Clara Davenport.

Mrs. H. D. Snyder and little daughter, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wright and other relatives in the city the past week, returned to their home Saturday morning.

Mrs. E. T. McDowell and sons, Walker and John, of Okmulgee, Okla., who have been spending several weeks at Loveland, Col., arrived in Maryville Friday and are visiting at the home of Dr. McDowell's mother, Mrs. John W. McDowell of West Twelfth street. Their little daughter, Mary Margaret McDowell, who came several weeks ago in company with her father, is quite ill at present with threatened fever.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

GRAY HAIR MAKES YOU LOOK OLD

Use Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and Your Gray Hair Will Quickly Vanish.

Gray hair is a mark of age, and nothing that can be said as to its beauty will offset the disadvantages of this mark of age set upon your brow.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy darkens the hair and restores it to its youthful beauty. Our grandmothers and their grandmothers before them used sage and sulphur for darkening their hair. Nothing has ever been found more effective for this purpose than these two time-honored remedies, but Wyeth, a modern chemist, has combined the two with other ingredients, which makes a delightful dressing for the hair, and which not only removes every trace of dandruff but promotes the growth of the hair. It also stops the hair from falling out, and makes it beautiful.

All druggists are authorized to refund the money if it fails to do exactly as represented.

Don't neglect your hair and don't resort to old-time hair dyes. Get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' use.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agents, Koch Pharmacy.

Here From Alaska.

Earl Townsend, who has been spending several months at Valdez, Alaska, joined Mrs. Townsend and his daughter, Miss Mildred, in Maryville this week. They have been spending the summer here. After a further stay, visiting Mr. Townsend's sister, Mrs. Edna Parcher, and son, Phillip Parcher, they expect to leave for Corpus Christi, Texas., to spend the winter.

Installed Fine Piano.

The M. E. church at Hopkins buys a Hallet & Davis piano this week of our well known music dealer, D. N. Scott, who is factory distributor for these celebrated pianos, established in 1839, a Boston product, and is handled by the most reliable dealers throughout the land.

Will Teach in Iowa.

Miss Nona Robinson of Kansas City, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Brien, of this city, left for Athelston, Ia., Saturday, where she will teach in the schools.

No Need to Stop Work.

When your doctor orders you to stop work it staggers you. "I can't," you say. You know you are weak, run down and failing in health, day by day, but you must work as long as you can stand. What you need is Electric Bitters to give tone, strength and vigor to your system, to prevent breakdown and build you up. Don't be weak, sickly or ailing when Electric Bitters will benefit you from the first dose. Thousands bless them for their glorious health and strength. Try them. Every bottle is guaranteed to satisfy. Only 50c at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our darling little daughter.

MR. and MRS. H. N. CULBERTSON.

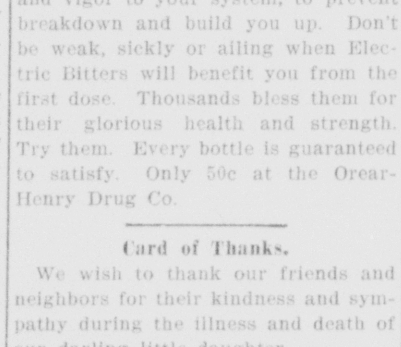
Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.

CUT FLOWERS

Of all kinds on hand and can be quickly furnished for any purpose. Peter Mergen. Hanamo 64; Bell 153. 27-30

S. S. Webb of Burlington Junction was in Maryville Saturday with some exhibits of the corn he has raised on his farm this year.

QUEEN OF ACTRESSES PRAISES PE-RU-NA.



Miss Julia Marlowe

"I am glad to write my endorsement of the great remedy, Peruna. I do so most heartily."--Julia Marlowe.

Any remedy that benefits digestion strengthens the nerves.

The nerve centers require nutrition.

If the digestion is impaired, the nerve centers become anemic, and nervous debility is the result.

A Talk to the Readers of This Paper

It has not been the policy of the Institution which I represent to say much to the readers of this valuable paper during the present month, and you have not seen much "dope" about The Maryville Business College. The fact is that we have been so busy in our school that I have not had time to write very much. We have been "sawing wood," so to speak, and the college has done more business in September than ever before, and the outlook for a great school this year is very gratifying. Hundreds of letters and scores of personal calls lead me to believe that the public is finding out our true worth and the present attendance is proof of their appreciation.

Next week will find my office located down stairs where it will be more convenient for you to step in and see me about the possibilities of a business education. I would be glad to talk it over with you.

On Monday, next, we start a new department in our school, known as the Central Auction School. You may rest assured that we have a capable teaching force and that we can and will do all and more than we promise. Time will tell how successful this new department will be. I may have made mistakes in the past, but not in the school business and I am taking the chances on knowing my business. My auctioneers are good ones and I have plenty of them behind the new department. Students should report to me Monday or Tuesday.

The regular departments of Bookkeeping and Stenography are open day and night, and they have the "ginger" in them that does things.

A score of new students will register next week and by the last of October we expect to have more students than we had all last year.

But I must stop or this will begin to look like an advertisement.

Yours sincerely,

E. S. COOK, President.

Joselyn's Hog and Chicken Powders

I am the agent for these well known remedies, which are sold under a binding and positive guarantee. You are given the opportunity to buy and try these powders without any payment until after you are fully satisfied of their efficacy. They are for sale in Maryville at R. S. Braniger & Co.'s store, or write or phone the store for me.

JOE BLUEL

VIRTUOLA

What is it? A musical wonder, made by Hallet & Davis Piano Co., Boston. Sold by

D. N. SCOTT
Maryville, Mo.

Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans went to Hopkins Friday noon to complete arrangements for removing to her new home.

SPEAKERS AT THE NORMAL CHAPEL

The students and faculty of the Normal were given an unusual treat at the chapel period Friday morning. The entertainers were Prof. Miller of the department of expression and Prof. Shepard Leffler, who has been in the city visiting his parents.

Mr. Miller read a selection from Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice." He read that section commonly known as the bargain scene in scene 3, act 1. His interpretation of Shylock, which is accounted to be the most difficult of Shakespeare's characters to elucidate, was excellent, and the entire reading was of keen interest.

Prof. Leffler's talk was of great interest, not to mention the historical value derived from it. His subject was the "English Parliament." Throughout his address Mr. Leffler contrasted the English parliament with our own congress. Mr. Leffler was a visitor at the house of commons and heard the discussion of Lord George on the famous budget bill. This noted debate began at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and lasted until nearly 4 o'clock the following morning. He also heard the debate on the Irish land bill. Mr. Leffler's speech, as a whole, was replete with humor, and contained the personal touch which makes the description of great historical points so full of interest.

SCHOOL WILL SELL EXPRESS PACKAGES

An arrangement has been made whereby the Central Auction school will sell the unclaimed express packages held by the Adams Express company in the state of Missouri. The sale will be conducted in Maryville, and as there are several hundred packages, it is sure to attract many people to the sale. The date of the sale will be announced later, and it will be extnsively advertised throughout the entire state. The greatest excitement prevails at these sales, and sometimes valuable articles are bought for a few cents.

ANOTHER DIVORCE SUIT WAS FILED

A divorce suit was filed Friday by Attorney G. P. Wright for Maggie Cain against Roy Cain. The petition states that they were married January, 1907, and lived together until September, 1911, when the defendant left and failed and refused to support the plaintiff and two children.

Returned From Kansas City.

Mrs. James F. Colby returned Saturday noon from Kansas City, where she spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Paul Ream. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Ream, who has been suffering the past two weeks from a severely sprained ankle, but is now able to walk some by the use of crutches.

Will Sing in Protracted Meeting.

Miss Myrtle Sheldon went to Cowgill, Mo., Saturday, where she has been engaged to sing in the revival services at the M. E. church, South, that are being conducted by Evangelist Snarr. Rev. Medley is pastor of the church.

On Visit to Son.

Mrs. R. M. Black and her little granddaughter, Virginia Black, went to Kansas City Saturday morning for a two weeks' visit with her son, Sherman Black, and his wife.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Mrs. R. H. Duncan went to Kansas City Saturday morning to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. B. F. Meyers of Lewis, Ia., visited in Maryville Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lucas. Mrs. Meyers and her husband, Rev. Meyers, who is pastor of the Congregational church at Lewis, attended the association at Council Bluffs this week, and Mrs. Meyers came here on her way home.

Reflective Quality of Wall Paper.

In painting or papering the walls of a room the question often arises what color reflects the most and what the least light. Recent experiments in Germany gave the following results: Dark blue reflects 2½ per cent of the light falling upon it, dark green about 10 per cent, pale red a little more than 16 per cent, dark yellow 20 per cent, pale blue 30 per cent, pale yellow 40 per cent, pale green 46½ per cent, pale orange nearly 55 per cent, white 70 per cent. Glossiness and varnish increase the amount of light reflected.—Harper's Weekly.

TRADE REVIEW FOR THE WEEK

Dun Says Conservatism Rules in All Lines.

VOLUME IS VERY EXTENSIVE.

Nothing in Industrial Situation to Correspond With Financial Commotion in Wall Street—Trade Slowly Improves in Footwear.

New York, Sept. 30.—Dun's Review of Trade says:

There is nothing in the industrial and mercantile situation to correspond with the commotion recently prevailing in the financial markets. While conservatism is the rule in all branches of trade and industry, supplies in nearly every line are so narrow, and immediate requirements of a constantly increasing number of consumers are so large, that the volume of business is very extensive. Buying of iron and steel products is confined to pressing needs, yet consumption is not much below maximum. In the Pittsburgh district concessions on open hearth billets and sheet bars bring quotations down to $19 and $19.50, respectively. In the rail division an inquiry for 80,000 tons of bessemer rails is reported. A contract for 10,000 tons for the Chilean state railways also is reported. Among the plate mills, however, quieter conditions prevail, with orders from car and locomotive works diminishing.

Trade slowly improves in footwear. Orders placed by jobbers continue for small quantities, but they are numerous and in the aggregate satisfactory. Buying of spring goods is not active. Better conditions prevail in leather. Total sales of sole leather for a week are estimated at 250,000 sides. Sales of hides are not as large as in some recent weeks, but the trade is mostly sold up on about all varieties.

NOTICE OF OUSTER SUIT

Papers Served on Councilmen of Hunnewell, Kan.

Hunnewell, Kan., Sept. 30.—Papers in the ouster suit of Attorney General Dawson against the councilmen of Hunnewell were served upon the members of the council. Two actions are set forth in the papers. The first is a petition to the court that the councilmen be suspended from office until the final disposition of the ouster proceedings is made by the court, and the second is that the councilmen be ousted permanently and bodily from their offices.

Hearing on the first petition will be before the Kansas supreme court on Oct. 6, and upon the second Oct. 26.

Answers to the suit, giving the councilmen's side, are ordered to be filed in court before Oct. 3.

File Charges Against Tobacco Trust.

New York, Sept. 30.—After a conference with Attorney General Wickersham the independent tobacco dealers laid a general complaint against the American Tobacco company before the attorney general. E. M. Hunter, counsel for the independents, said the complaint covers the situation in a broad sense and does not deal with price cutting alone. Attorney General Wickersham said he would take the matter under consideration.

Farmer Victim of Own Gun Trap.

Wilber, Neb., Sept. 30.—Arthur Krauter, a farmer living near here, was shot by his own spring-gun wolf trap. He had arranged a coyote trap, a piece of meat being used as bait and attached to the trigger of a shotgun. Krauter was trying to drive a frightened calf into his barn and accidentally stumbled over the trap, kicking the bait. Both barrels of the gun were discharged into his feet and legs.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Closing prices: Wheat—Sept., 95¼c; Dec., 98⅝c.
Corn—Sept., 68⅝c; Dec., 63¾@63⅞.
Oats—Sept., 46c; Dec., 47¾c.
Pork—Jan., $15.05; May, $15.05.
Lard—Sept., $9.17½; Jan., $8.90.
Ribs—Sept., $8.32½; May, $7.95.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, winter, $1.00@1.04; No. 2 corn, 68¼@69c; No. 2 white oats, 47½@48½c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; slow, weak; beeves, $4.75@8.15; western steers, $4.25@7.00; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.65; cows and heifers, $2.00@6.20; calves, $6.00@9.50. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; strong to 5c up; light, $6.10@6.75; mixed, $6.05@6.80; heavy, $5.80@6.70; rough, $5.90@6.05; pigs, $4.00@6.15; bulk, $6.10@6.55. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; slow, weak; natives, $2.25@4.00; westerns, $2.75@4.10; yearlings, $3.85@4.50; lambs, $4.00@6.00.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 835; slow; beef steers, $4.25@7.50; cows and heifers, $3.00@4.25 stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.00; calves, $4.00@7.25. Hogs—Receipts, 3,291; 5c higher; larger droves were put up at $6.15@6.20; best bacon animals made a top of $6.30. Sheep—Receipts, 48,000; steady; wethers, $3.25@3.85; ewes, $3.00@3.65; lambs, $5.00@5.65.

ITALIAN TROOPS OCCUPY TRIPOLI

Rome Declares War With Turkey When Time Limit Expires.

IGNORES REQUEST FOR DELAY

Following Declaration of Hostilities Commander Is Asked to Surrender Town, but Declines—Cruiser Destroys Turkish Torpedo Boat.

ITALY'S NAVY SUPERIOR.

The navy of Italy ranks sixth among the navies of the world. The navy of Turkey ranks sixteenth.

Italy has an army of 225,000, with 300,000 reserves and 1,200,000 men available for military service.

Turkey has a peace force of 375,000, with 300,000 reserves and 2,000,000 men available for military service.

London, Sept. 30.—Affairs developed with extraordinary rapidity. A state of war exists between Italy and Turkey and hostilities have begun.

No sooner had the time limit fixed in the ultimatum expired than, ignoring Turkey's conciliatory request for a period of delay, Italy declared war. The Turkish representatives in Italy were handed their passports.

The Turkish commander at Tripoli was asked to surrender the town, but declined, and the Italian forces immediately occupied Tripoli and Benghazi.

Immediately on landing the Italians evidently seized the telegraph lines. From the hour of their landing no message of any kind has been received from Tripoli and dispatches sent to that place remained unanswered.

The Turkish cabinet, which had been for some time insecure, resigned as soon as war was declared and a new ministry was formed under Said Pasha, but retaining the former able war minister, Mahmoud Shefket Pasha.

Turkey continues her effort to secure intervention by the powers. In the meantime Italy is actively pursuing hostilities. Italian battleships are reported to have appeared off Smyrna and Salonika.

An Italian cruiser landed troops at Prevesa after destroying a Turkish torpedo boat destroyer and the Italian fleet has blockaded the whole Tripolitan coast.

There are unconfirmed reports that Turkey intends to send an ultimatum to Greece to abandon her claims on Crete, and is massing troops on the Thessalian frontier.

The greatest activity ensued in all the European chancelleries on receipt of the announcement that war had been declared and notification of a blockade. It is expected the various governments will issue the customary neutrality notices and will devote their diplomatic efforts as far as possible to localizing hostilities to the combatant powers and especially to avoiding complications in the Balkans.

Trouble Dates Back to 1878.

The trouble between Turkey and Italy, which culminated in a declaration of war at Rome, dates back to 1878, when with the making of the treaty concluding the Russo-Turkish war, the powers are understood to have agreed to permit Italy a "pacific penetration of Tripoli."

Turkey claims that this right has been respected ever since.

Italy has colonized Tripoli until her interests in that Turkish African province are very great. She has asserted, however, that her subjects have been mistreated by the Ottoman authorities and constantly discriminated against. Italy at last decided to establish a protectorate, and this Turkey opposed.

Naval Battle Off Prevesa.

Paris, Sept. 30.—The Matin's Athens correspondent says the telegraph official at Vonitza, Greece, has wired to the government that a naval battle occurred off Prevesa.

Italian warships belonging to the Italian squadron encountered a flotilla of Turkish destroyers cruising off the coast of Epirus.

The Italians promptly attacked the flotilla and two Turkish ships were badly damaged by shells. They have gone ashore in the Gulf of Arta.

Two Killed by Explosion of Shrapnel

Columbus, O., Sept. 30.—Private Howard W. Gam and Corporal Rowland Beverly of battery A, field artillery, of Cleveland were killed at the government maneuvers' camp at Sparta, Wis., by an explosion of shrapnel in a gun. Private John Cutcheon and Earl B. Snyder of the Cleveland battery were seriously injured.

Battle Expected in China.

Chung Kiang, Sept. 30.—A dispatch from Chengtu states that 10,000 rebels are gathered thirty miles west of that city and that government troops are marching against them. It is expected that the viceroy will soon permit foreigners to leave Chengtu.

Start Fire With Oil; Two Dead.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 30.—Two persons are dead and two are seriously injured as the result of starting a fire with kerosene. The dead are Mrs. William Houle and her granddaughter Marie Boucher.

ORDER FOR SHOP STRIKE ISSUED

Union Men on Harriman Lines Will Quit Work Today.

THINK MEN WILL NOT GO OUT

Managers of Lines Located in Chicago Think Order Will Not Be Obeyed to Any Great Extent—Thousands Already Idle.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—The long threatened strike of shopmen on the Harriman lines, including the Illinois Central, will become a reality today, unless the men, who have twice voted to strike, refuse to obey the order sent out by the presidents of the five unions directly involved.

The presidents say the men have not weakened in their desire to force the railroads to recognize their newly established Federation of Shop Employees by means of a strike and that more than 90 per cent of the men will quit work. The fight, they say, is likely to prove long drawn out.

The railroads, on the other hand, say the workers do not want to strike, that they have been forced into their position by the union leaders and that a great majority will refuse to leave their work when the hour is reached.

The railroads are in good shape to stand a strike right now, according to officials. A retrenchment order recently issued reduced the number of employees nearly 25 per cent and there is a sufficient number of idle men in all crafts to permit the roads to keep their shops running even if all the men go out.

This was denied by President Kline of the blacksmiths' union, who said the men the railroads are counting on to fill the strikers' places are men who were laid off recently and who are union men and would refuse to work during a strike.

Order Follows Consultation.

The strike order came after a consultation over the long distance telephone between Presidents Kline, Ryan of the carmen and Franklin of the boilermakers in Kansas City and O'Connell of the machinists, Davenport. President O'Sullivan of the sheet metal workers, who had already agreed to the time, departed for Pittsburgh, Pa., from where he will conduct the fight.

The following is a text of the telegram sent by the international officers of the federation system to the various locals:

"All efforts have failed. Mr. Kruttschnitt refuses. All crafts strike Saturday, Sept. 30. Letter of instructions follow. Let every man do his duty."

Strikebreakers at Sedalia Shops.

Sedalia, Mo., Sept. 30.—Fourteen men were brought here from St. Louis and put to work in the yards of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railway yards in place of striking carmen.

NO REFORM, SAYS SHERIFF

Chief Deputy of Cook County Claims Hardened Criminals Never Change.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—"Reforming the hardened criminal is an impossibility," said Charles W. Peters, chief deputy sheriff of Cook county, in an address delivered here.

"My twenty-five years of experience with hardened criminals has convinced me they never mend their ways permanently. They may improve for a time, but in the end 99 out of every 100 go back to a life of crime.

"Scientists tell us crime is a disease. Well, if it is, some one should invent a cure. Half of the people who preach reform in the methods of handling criminals do not know what they are talking about. The methods of the state reformatory institutions are crude and unsatisfactory. We have made but little progress along this line in twenty years.

"There is something radically wrong with our jury system. In Chicago there were eighteen murder cases tried in the first four months of this year without one conviction."

Killed While Trying to Save Kitten.

Kansas City, Sept. 30.—To save a lean, straggly, stray kitten from death under the wheels of a locomotive, I. J. Soper, a baggage man employed by the Kansas City Terminal company, dashed in front of a Santa Fe train in this city. He was knocked twenty feet from the track and when picked up was dead. The kitten also was killed.

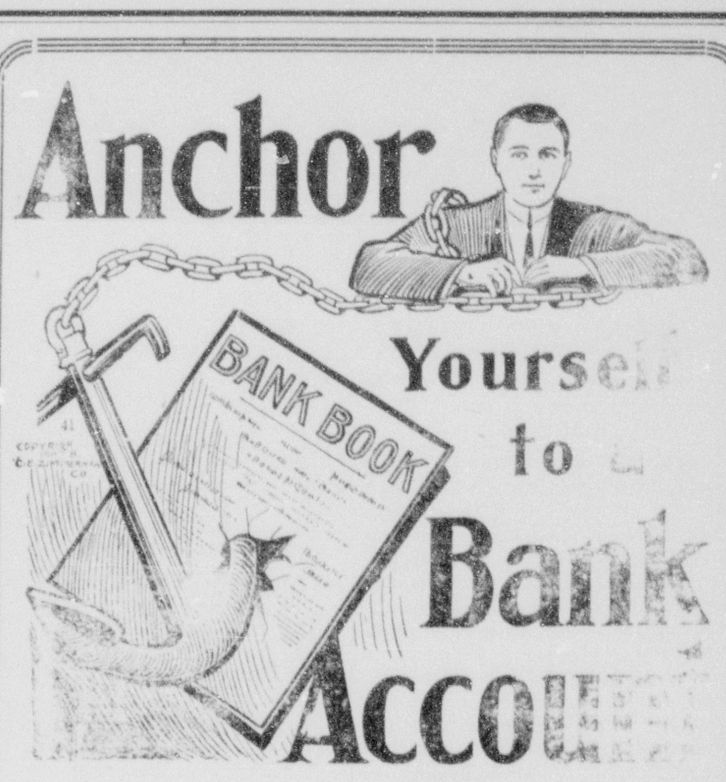
Bees Rout Two Robbers.

Hamel, Minn., Sept. 30.—According to Robert Schultz, the farmer attacked and beaten by two robbers, a swarm of bees came to his assistance and routed his assailants.

A Dreadful Sight

To H. J. Barnum of Freeville, N. Y., was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Boils, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns and Piles like magic. Only 25c at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Everybody knows the Majestic. Demonstration starts Monday. Campbell & Clark.



A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be *sure* and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will HIS CONFIDENCE IN HIMSELF TO MAKE GOOD.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL - - - - $100,000.00
SURPLUS - - - - $22,000.00

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having rented my farm, I will sell at my place 10 miles southwest of Maryville, 8 1-2 miles northwest of Barnard and 7 3-4 miles northeast of Graham, on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5. 1911

The following property:—9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 pair of sorrel mares five and seven years old, both bred to Hardi; 1 gray mare seven years old, Con's jack; 1 bay family horse, smooth mouth; 2 yearling draft colts 1 yearling mule, 2 weanling colts. 52 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 good milch cows, 5 yearling heifers, 43 head of good steer and heifer calves. 95 HEAD OF HOGS—90 head of spring shoats, 5 good brood sows. 10 Tons of Hay in barn—400 bushels of oats. IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, surrey, buggy, 2 cultivators, McCormick mower, stalk cutter, harrow, lister and drill combined, grindstone, 2 breaking plows, disc harrow, 2 sets heavy work harness, 1 set single harness, saddle, bridle and buggy harness. All implements are in first class condition. A lot of household and kitchen furniture, nearly new; and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS:—All sums of $10.00 and under cash, over that amount a credit of 6 months on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Lunch Served by Ladies of Pleasant Grove Church

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer
George Cole, Clerk

Hutchison H. Lyle

CLOSING OUT SALE

I will sell at my farm, 2½ miles northeast of Arkoe and southeast of Maryville, on

Tuesday, October 3, 1911

The following property: 17 HEAD OF HORSES AND MARES—6 brood mares from 6 to 10 years old, all bred to Norman horse; 1 gelding 6 years old, broke to all harness, safe for a lady; 3 yearling fillies, 7 weanling colts. A high grade Normal stallion, a good one, and will have his colts to show. 14 HEAD OF CATTLE—10 head of A 1 dairy cows. These cows are a lot that I have been selecting for some time and will sure produce the goods. 3 yearling heifers (to freshen in the spring), 1 yearling Shorthorn bull. 120 HEAD OF HOGS—53 spring shoats, 9 sows with 58 pigs by their sides. 15 to 20 tons of clover hay, 180 acres of good fall pasture (plenty of water), 45 acres of corn to be sold bythe bushel. IMPLEMENTS—Manure spreader, wheat drill, new 16-inch John Deere sulky plow, cultivator, harrows, listers and drills, and, in fact, a full line of implements in first class condition. A nearly new De Laval 700-pound capacity separator. Sale begins at 10:30 prompt.

TERMS—All sums $10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months' time, on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on the ground.

H. T. COULTER

Jos. Jackson, Clerk. R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

Kane's Place

Liquors,

Wines,

Cigars,

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention

Is Guest of Mrs. Anthony.

Mrs. D. F. M. Weeks of Kansas City arrived in the city Friday noon for a visit with her sister, Mrs. F. R. Anthony.

Miss Ruby Clements of Arkoe was in Maryville Friday.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each, at Crane's.

The Fighting Hope

Novelized by
VIRGINIA LEILA WENTZ

From the Play by
WILLIAM J. HURLBURT

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PROLOGUE.

A strong man bravely facing the foes who would brand him with disgrace, calmly, silently fighting them to a finish; a convict declaiming his innocence from behind prison walls which enfold him because of his weakness and his wickedness; a beautiful young mother battling for a stainless name for her children and for the fair name of their father—what more interesting themes than these could a novelist devise for a real life romance of today?

CHAPTER I.

MAN AND WIFE.

ROBERT GRANGER, JR., who had already learned "The Purple Cow," was endeavoring to master another gem from the Burgess Nonsense book. The drawings appealed to him immensely. He sat on the edge of the rug, his back against his father's chiffonnier, his legs of six years' growth stretched out, the book open upon his knee. Occasionally he made a dash with his hand at an inquisitive fly.

Across from him on a low rocker, her shining head bent slightly over in the serious operation of sewing a button on a coat, softly hummed his young mother. Presently the boy shuffled along the floor, still keeping the book on his lap, till he got close to her and lodged his chin on her knee.

"See if I don't know it, muddie," said he. And he began:

"The roof it has a lazy time
A-lying in the sun;
The walls they have—they have"—

An incipient dimple showed in his mother's cheek.

—"to hold him up;
They do not have much fun,"

Finished she gayly. She pushed the boy's hair back from his brow and kissed him. "Now run down into the garden, honey, and play with nurse and Baby Harold. Plenty of sun and fresh air and deep breathing, you know. That's what makes a little fellow into a big, strong man, eh—not too many nonsense verses?"

Robert put his book away reluctantly. "But I love po'try, too, darling, dear," asserted he, stroking her face prettily, before quitting the room.

"He's his father over and over again—gentle, appealing, winning. And sentimental, too, I'm afraid," added Anna, with a slow, enigmatical smile, as she snipped off the thread with her sound, perfect white teeth.

She rose to put the coat away. In doing so the contents slipped from one of the pockets that had been hanging over her knee. She stooped to replace them, the contents varied and inconsequential as any boy's. Then her glance fell upon a bill of fare—a French bill of fare, full of naughty things to eat and drink for two. It bore the date of the day previous.

A dancing little spirit of mischief played in the beautiful gray eyes.

"I'll keep it forninst my lord's return," quoth she. "I'll chaff him with it a bit when he gets home this afternoon, pretend I'm catty and jealous, injured virtue through and through. Oh, lordy, lordy, fancy me being jealous, and of dear old Bobs!"

Robert Granger reached his suburban home in Westfield early that afternoon. It was Saturday, a fine summer day, and he'd promised to take his boys to Cranford, a few miles distant, for a sail on the river.

"Glad you have on that dress, Anna," said he. "It's awfully becoming, and I want you to look your prettiest. Brady is coming out this afternoon, and"—

"But the boys—the river?" Her first thought was of her children's disappointment (though her dislike for the man Brady, who always "got on her nerves," came in a close second).

"The boys? I'd quite forgotten. Well, you'll have to fix it up with them; put them off till some other time. I"—

"Robert, I wish—I wish you wouldn't forget like that. It's growing to be a habit with you, dear, and I hate—I hate to have the children lose faith in your promises. I want them to learn that a promise means"—

He interrupted with some sharp inconsequence, and Anna's wide, surprised eyes goaded him into a tempest of words.

"Are you so burdened with motherhood," he cried, "that you can't even be a wife? It's plain to see that I'm only worth to you what I may be worth to the children, and no man—no man, I repeat—can stand that sort of thing."

Anna flushed and wondered what she could have done to cause this extraordinary outbreak. Her first impulse always where Robert was concerned was to try to ascertain where she herself had been found wanting. In the symphony of womanhood she had but played over and over again the largo of motherhood, this slim, girlish figure with the exquisite flowerlike face, for her physical attitude toward even her boyish, irresponsible husband was largely maternal.

She wondered, but in this instance she was rather at a loss. There was a senseless ambiguity about the affair that baffled her. She flushed hotter. It seemed to be an indignity that even for a second Robert should have become so exceedingly small in her eyes.

When she returned from "fixing it up" with the boys she crossed to the window and looked out into the garden. The sun was still shining, but it had lost its gold to her.

There was a-plenty of its gold in the ripples of her brown hair, however. Robert noticed it. He saw, too, that her slight figure, dressed in the simplest of white dimities, ran around the corner of pretty curves wherever one's eyes lighted and followed the lines. There was an offended look about her back and a half amused displeasure touching her profile.

"I'm sorry I spoke like that, Anna," said he, trying to apologize. "A man has a lot to fight against"—at the end of several halting sentences—"of which even his wife knows nothing."

"Have you to fight?" asked she, turning around and laughing in spite of herself. "You don't look like a fighter, Bobs. You look like a man to whom—well, to whom things come."

"Nothing," observed he, with befitting gravity—"nothing comes without hustling and exertion and perspiration, either of brow or spirit."

"In that case," said she, still regarding him reflectively, "I ought to know about this perspiration and the other accompaniments. With two children it's quite time I began to face things." She came nearer and laid her hand on his shoulder. "Things might strike me differently, you see, if I knew more. Your odd, puzzling little moods—I could make allowances for them."

He grew confused beneath her candor.

"My ill temper," he blurted out, "was of course, inexcusable. Still"—

"Oh, nonsense! I don't mind the ill temper in the least. I've heaps of my own to match it. It's the freakishness of the thing, the—the weakness of such a twisted, untrue mood that bothers me. How would you feel," she added quickly, "if you got some remote hint that your mahogany cabinet was a veneered imitation or if the smallest doubt came to you about the genuineness of that Inness landscape there? You'd have forty fits on the instant. Now, that's how I feel about you and the children—my small collection. If I should discover one day that you were sham products of a bad period instead of being originals of the best—oh, deary me!"

"But, Anna, you want perfection. Now, a man"—

"Perfection? Not a bit of it! To live in the company of three angels would be a nightmare. It would demoralize me to feel myself so abject an outsider. As to temper, you may even on occasion storm because you've mislaid your gloves or your commutation tickets or throw the soup at Bridget's head if it's not hot and well seasoned. In those cases, you see, I should understand your motives and your modes of action would not be baffling. It's the—the illusive, twisted moods, as I say, that confuse me, make me think of bad periods and [illegible] things."

Here the bell rang, and Bridget ushered in Miss Mary Graham.

"You've just come in the nick o' time," said Anna, greeting her guest warmly with a score of engaging prettinesses. "Robert and I were in the thick of a sanguinary encounter."

"Well," returned Miss Graham, smiling, "you do your fighting artistically. I see no signs of vulgar strife."

"We thought," explained Anna, "we'd save our scalps for future use, since Robert expects a guest this afternoon. Now tell me about yourself, dear," added she, as her husband laughingly strolled out upon the porch. "It was most awfully nice to hear you had secured such a fine secretarial position—somewhere up the Hudson, isn't it? Must be nice and cool for this hot weather."

"It's just a bit below Ossining. Those horrid prison walls are the only disturbing feature about the place, and the people are all that one could wish. Mr. Temple—he's just been made president of the Gotham Trust company, and I'm his first home secretary, I believe—although wholly businesslike and reserved, is polite and considerate. And his mother—oh, Anna, she's just the dearest, sweetest patrician old lady you ever saw! Then there's the housekeeper; she's a queer old Puritan article, plain as a Wesleyan chapel, severe as an ancestor in oil, but so kind and good. Yes, I'm very fortunate in my new position. Oh, look at your distinguished guest!" cried Miss Graham. "Look at his smart little trap; look at the antics of his brown cobs. Who is he? Robert is greeting him as if he were the grand mogul."

"A Mr. Cornelius Brady, I believe," said Anna indifferently—"one of Robert's innumerable 'finds.' Do you know, dear," added she impulsively, leaning forward, "I wish Robert were not so susceptible. He costs me more sighs and watchfulness than both my other children put together."

Miss Graham observed the "other" and secretly condoned it.

Mr. Cornelius Brady came smoothly into the pretty little green and dun drawing room. Suave, adroit, with the contained manner of the man of the world, he impressed one as having the gift of moral construction, reconstruction or destruction, as the case might be.

While the small talk went its rounds, while the June air stirred the curtains and stole in softly laden with scent from the rosebushes, his eyes rested on his young hostess' delicate face with an admiration as genuine as it was indiscreet. Her sweet, joyous womanliness was enough to enchant even a man like him, jaded with many enchantments.

But Granger was scarcely alive to the indiscretions. Anything in the shape of victory attracted him. If the victor happened to be your own wife, so much the better.

"Good heavens," he exclaimed suddenly, "there are those children squalling like fiends! They're experts already in every ill timed interference. Robert will be fit for nothing in life but a minister. As for the other"—

But the woman to whom he had addressed these remarks had already vanished and was making for the back garden.

The shrill, importunate little voices turned to a whimper as she appeared.

"My two dear red turkey cocks, what's it all about?" cried she cheerfully, with a pretty gathering in sort of gesture.

"B-bobbie he h-hurted me wid a s-sto-one, he did," sobbed Harold, burying his baby face in her skirts.

"Oh, muddie," explained Robert junior, "I was just throwin' stones at the lazy roof, you know, an'—an' one of 'em hit Harold; that's all. Shut up, Harold, will you? When you cry you cry mud, an' it's most disgustin'. People ought to cry clean water, oughtn't they, muddie?" he protested, looking disdainfully at the soiled cherub peering helplessly upward from the folds of his mother's skirts.

"Best plan would be not to cry at all. Even clean crying makes ugly, red little noses. Nurse, wash this sorry wee face, please. If Harold's good he shall have strawberries for tea."

"And, Robert," she added, with a whimsical smile, "don't bother about throwing stones at the lazy roof. There are some things in life we must learn to take as we find them. The lazy roof

"HER CHILDREN SUIT HER TO PERFECTION, EH, BRADY?"

is one. If you really must give vent to your feelings you can pat the good supporting walls, my little son."

Presently, clean and fresh, the children were brought into the drawing room to greet Miss Graham before she left. As she was receding down the tree lined avenue Robert junior stood one arm about his mother's waist and waved to her. Robert senior seized the other rollicking atom and deposited him in Anna's arms. Then he stood back to enjoy the artistic effect.

"Her children suit her to perfection, eh, Brady?" quoth he. "If her children don't go well with a woman you may take your oath there's something radically wrong with her."

"Physically or morally?" Brady asked, laughing.

"Both," said Granger. "So far as the female sex is concerned, they are convertible terms. Have a cigar?"

"Since we've become mere pegs on which to hang psychological discussions, my boys, we'll return to our native heath," said Anna laughingly.

Brady watched with singular interest the easy strength with which she walked off with her sons. Hitherto she had seemed to him altogether fragile, Dresden china-ish.

"I saw a look on Mrs. Granger's face awhile ago," he said half to himself, "a look that surprised me. I believe there are very few things she couldn't do once she set her mind to action."

An uncomfortable, prickly sensation ran down Robert's back; his smile of satisfaction weakened. Then over their cigars they began to talk of other things. From the open door of the nursery Anna could hear broken fragments coming up:

"Money, the vital fluid, doesn't seem to be flowing so easily through the body of things." "The banks are lending less, securities seem less stable, stocks are down," etc.

That night Granger enjoyed his dinner unreservedly, and there was a certain scintillating novelty about his wife's looks that engaged his attention. His after dinner smoke was his favorite one. It seemed vixenish to interfere with it, so Anna waited, playing idly with the almonds and raisins on her plate. Robert, between his puffs, noticed that they were delicate and pretty hands, and that there were only two rings—the wedding ring and the engagement ring. He felt a vague impression that most women wore more than that. At least, one woman whom he knew wore more. He remembered her hands distinctly. He had made her a birthday present of a diamond ring only a few days before, and when she thanked him for it later he had noticed that her hand fairly flashed with diamonds.

Presently Anna got up, and, leaning lightly against the mantel shelf, watched him oddly. She might as well out with it.

"Robert," said she, "you like Mr. Brady through and through?"

"Like Brady? Why, yes, and he's a decidedly useful man to know—interested in all sorts of big concerns, nothing of a snob, and"—

"I—I rather wanted to compare notes with you. You're so quick and sensitive. I wondered if you had noticed—things." She flushed hotly.

"Nothing at all, except that he seems to approve of my selection of a wife. Would you prefer, then, not to be admired?"

"I like being admired, of course. I like it most awfully. But it depends, doesn't it, on the way it's done. Why, even Mary Graham noticed"—

"You surely don't mean to imply that my friend Brady means any harm?"

With a vehement gesture Anna drew her fingers across her eyes.

"No one except the stage villain ever does mean any harm, I suppose," she said. "The others do it from absence of mind, perhaps. Oh, I dare say I'm horrid," added she softly, seeing a hurt look on Robert's face—"horrid and not sufficiently grateful for my privileges. Probably it's all vanity and self consciousness. You'd have noticed all these unpleasantnesses naturally, since I belong to you?" She put out both hands to him with friendly, irresistible grace. At that moment the longing to feel protected was very strong within her.

"Of course I'd have noticed," reassured Robert, looking at her in his boyish, ingenuous fashion, and with a brilliant, ready smile. It was this look and this smile that had first won his way into the sympathies of her heart.

Suddenly, under the spell of his caress, Anna remembered something. The dimples stirred in her cheeks as she disengaged herself.

"Wait, Bobs, I'll be back in a second," she said and ran lightly upstairs.

"Now, sir," standing before her liege lord in mock accusing fashion and handing him the French bill of fare, "since you refuse to be jealous of me I'm most mightily inclined to be jealous of you. Who did you lunch with yesterday? Defend yourself!"

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